

# RIOT IN LAWRENCE

## ITALIAN STRIKERS

### Forced Operatives to Quit Work and Attacked Police

Striking Italian operatives of the Washington, Wood and Ayer mills in Lawrence started a demonstration today that resulted in a riot. The police reserves responded to a riot call and were attacked by the strikers. The mills were forced to shut down. One woman operative was stabbed and many policemen and overseers were badly cut. Trouble caused by reduction of pay because of reduction of working hours.

#### STORY OF THE TROUBLE

LAWRENCE, Jan. 12.—Thousands of striking Italian operatives of the Washington, Wood and Ayer mills of the American Woolen company who refused to work because of reduction of pay on account of reduction in hours under the 54 hour law took possession of the mill plants this forenoon by force and swarmed through the various rooms urging all the operatives to quit work. The police reserves were summoned on a riot call after several mill overseers had been injured in an attempt to keep the strikers out of the rooms and a girl had been stabbed. They were of little assistance, however, at first, for they were vastly outnumbered. Thousands of strikers gathered about the millgates. There was every indication that there would be more trouble during the day. A band of strikers went to the Wood mills from the Washington and marched into the building in spite of all efforts to keep them out. They went from room to room in an effort to induce the other operatives to quit. At the Ayer mill the strikers attempted to gain an entrance by breaking down an iron side gate.

The strikers were in an angry mood and shouted and jeered at the police, who were easily outnumbered.

#### Broke Down Mill Gate

The American Woolen Co. operatives who are not number about 35,000, the strikers went to the Duck mills soon after 11 o'clock and when the police attempt to prevent their entrance into the mill began to throw missiles of all descriptions at them, with the result that several officers were cut. The police began making arrests and an attempt to take the strikers away from the strikers. This caused still further disturbance and at this writing the outlook is threatening in the vicinity of the Duck mills.

At the Washington mills, Thomas Beglin, overseer of the Washington mills, was struck on the head by a hobnail and badly cut. Overseer Blodgett

was injured in a similar manner and Delta Clark, an operative, was severely cut by being struck by a flying missile.

At the Wood mills the strikers cut the pulleys and opened the sprinklers. Many girls in the mending room fainting and practically all of them left the building before the police had restored order.

#### Carried American Flags

The strikers who forced the Ayer mills gate, carried small American flags and a large Italian banner. The upper elevation of the Washington and Wood mills without resort to firearms, simply using their clubs. The strikers did not attempt to resist the police but jeered as they receded.

#### Mill Property Damaged

Considerable damage was done to mill property. At the Ayer mill the iron gate, which the Ayer mill workers had broken down, was taken out many belts, opened the sprinklers and did considerable damage to the machinery. Practically all the windows of the Unter street side of the Lawrence Duck Co.'s mills were shattered by bricks and stones.

The only injuries sufficiently severe to attract particular attention occurred at the Washington mills.

There was an indiscriminate hurling of missiles, mostly hobnails, in the different rooms there. Miss Delta Clark, an operative, was badly cut by a missile of some sort and Overseers Blodgett and Thomas Beglin were hit on the head. The injuries in no case are serious.

#### No Further Details of the Riot

Practically all the operatives in the Wood mills quit after the disturbance began, many who did not intend to strike leaving through fear of violence. Just before 11 o'clock the entire plants of the Wood and Ayer mills were shut down after the police had driven the strikers out of the Ayer mills. Some of the other operatives left during the disturbance, those that remained were scattered by bricks and stones.

The strikers, on leaving the Ayer mills announced that they proposed to go through the Pacific mills in a sliding manner.

#### Police Make Arrests

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At the Wood mills the paymasters had just about finished the work of putting up the payrolls and 15 minutes later would have paid the wage operatives but they saw the watchmen surrounded by over 100 men and, realizing that trouble was imminent, they placed the payroll envelopes in the safe.

The police prevented the strikers from entering the Duck mill and most of the crowd dispersed before the Pacific mills were reached, consequently there was no serious trouble at the latter plant.

#### 11,000 ARE IDLE

#### AS RESULT OF THE TROUBLE IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Jan. 12.—The mill district of this city was thrown into a state of great excitement today by a riotous outbreak on the part of about 500 Italians who left their work in the Wood, Ayer and Washington mills of the American Woolen Co. because they objected to a reduction of two hours' pay under the workings of the new 54-hour law. Before the trouble ended several persons had been injured, none seriously, a number of girl operatives had fainted and six arrests had been made by the police. The mill agents hastily looked things over and found that so many operatives had quit work through fear of the angry Italians that it was decided to close down the Wood and Ayer mills at once. The Washington mills and those of the Lawrence Duck Co. to

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Here they made a stand against the police. Stones, bricks and pieces of ice were thrown in great numbers and some of the police were struck and slightly hurt. Then the others charged the crowd with their clubs. The Italians quickly scattered and after six of their number had been arrested the remainder desisted from their attack and the mob melted away. The men taken by the police will appear in court tomorrow.

#### PRES. WOOD

#### SAYS MISTAKEN LABOR INTERESTS DEMANDED NEW LAW

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—President W. M. Wood of the American Woolen company, in speaking today of the trouble in the company's mills in Lawrence, said:

"Our employees have been led to believe that the reduction from 54 to 34 hours was an act of the manufacturers, whereas the real fact is that the 54 hour law was demanded by certain mistaken labor interests, enacted by the legislature and signed by the governor under pressure from them. Therefore these labor interests and the lawmakers, not the manufacturers, are responsible."

"The manufacturers, (I say this having that I express the sentiments of all) are the friends of the employee and greatly regret that the reduction in the hours of work, which the new law has forced, compells their taking home just that much less money."

"There has been no reduction in the rate of wages, but it cannot be ex-

pected that people who work 34 hours

will take home the wages equivalent to 54 hours of work."

"When one considers that there are mills in the country running from 56 to 60 hours, selling their merchandise in the same market, one can see how impossible it is for Massachusetts manufacturers to compete against such odds or hope to secure orders or hold their own. Naturally the mills running the greatest number of hours and producing at the least cost will get the business away from mills of Massachusetts."

"To pay for 54 hours of work the wages of 56 hours would be equivalent to an increase in wages. While manufacturers under normal conditions would be glad to see their employees earn more money, the Massachusetts mills are paying off that they can afford to pay in the present situation. The mills are still suffering from a long period of extreme depression due to the tariff collection at Washington."

"I believe that as soon as our operatives understand the real issue and where the responsibility actually rests, they will see that their action at Lawrence was hasty and ill-advised. There is no cause for striking, and when the employers see that justice is not on their side the strike cannot possibly be long lived. I look for an early resumption of work."

#### ZERO WEATHER

#### NINTH CONSECUTIVE DAY OF IT

#### IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Chicago today is suffering from its ninth consecutive day of zero weather. Although there have been intervals of a few hours when the mercury climbed above this mark—at some time late yesterday it had been reached and passed, establishing a record for more than twenty years.

Throughout the night a fine snow fell driven by a bitter northwest wind.

Gilmores, Prescott hall, tonight.

#### Ask Your Doctor

You may cough tomorrow! Better be prepared for it when it comes. Ask your doctor about keeping Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house.

Then when the hard cold or

cough first appears you have a doctor's medicine at hand. Your doctor's approval of its use will certainly set all doubt at rest. Do as he says.

J. C. Arts Co.,  
Local Mfg.

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#### Good Thaversee Hunter Seigh

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#### PAINTER WHO TOOK TUESDAY

#### night will please return same to 30

#### Ash st., and save further trouble.

#### Charles A. Whitter, superintendent

#### of the park department, said that it

#### was there and the hydrant was there

#### and the matter of securing a proper

#### coupling was, in the opinion of Com-

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#### it was useless work that the fire de-

#### partment had been asked to do and he further

#### stated that when he arrived at the

#### rink Mr. Whitter had but two men

#### there and the hydrant had to do the

#### major portion of the work. Chief

#### Hosmer said that it was useless to

#### close the rink while it was covered

#### with snow. He said it would not make

#### a surface fit for skating.

#### "The water and fire department has

#### nothing whatever to do with Shedd

#### park on the skating rink," said Com-

#### misioner Barrett. "We supplied the

#### hydrant and the water and it is up to

#### them to do the rest. It looks to me

#### as if some one had studied his job.

#### We had men out there this forenoon and

#### they are there yet, but Chief Hosmer

#### allows that the work of flooding as it is

#### being carried out at the present time

#### will not be at all satisfactory. They

#### had only two men there when our men

#### arrived and the firemen had to do all

#### the work of the park department. We

#### have work enough of our own to at-

#### tend to. I cannot understand why the

#### rink wasn't scraped before the water

#### was turned on."

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# A GENERAL ELECTION Is Being Held Throughout the German Empire Today

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—A general election will be held throughout the German Empire today to choose members of the Reichstag. Hardly has an election excited more interest since the founding of modern Germany and rarely has greater importance attached to the result.

The widespread dissatisfaction over the policy of the government in the Morocco negotiations, a dissatisfaction which left it apparently without a single friend in the Reichstag, and the great increase in the cost of living, especially upon the wage-workers and all persons of small incomes, have created a situation in which the most acute political prophets find themselves at a loss to predict the probable result at the polls.

It seems to be conceded that the parties of the left—the liberal groups and the socialists—will make gains, but their probable extent is uncertain.

The Reichstag just dissolved was elected in January, 1910, and sat for five years. It provided in the constitution. It was constituted following the elections of 1907, as follows:

Right Conservatives (Free Conservatives, Agrarian associations).....	113
Center (Catholics).....	129
Left (National Liberals, Radicals).....	53
Social Democrats (Socialists).....	41
Scattering (particularistic parties).....	2

The Radicals, who form themselves in the "Progressive People's party," are made up of three previously existing radical factions—the Radical People's party, the Radical League of the German People's party, all of which had delegates in the last Reichstag. In March, 1910, these three principal parties of the left were united.

The Radicals are an offshoot of the old Progressives party, which was organized in 1848 by advocates of freedom. The present coalition advocates a systematic condition of the protective tariff, and equal rights for agriculture and all relations with agriculture, religious freedom for the individual. They demand a responsible collegial imperial ministry. Powerful representation of all nationalities disappears from a central point in the party program.

**Socialists' Program**

The socialists' program is that of the socialists the world over and is well known. Their ultimate political aim is a pure democracy, in which all citizens, including the women, shall have equal rights. They are unalterably opposed to armaments and war, to tithes and indirect taxes, favor communalization of property and of all means of production, no interference in religious affairs, separa-

tional provinces of which form their stronghold. They are strongly monarchial, opposed to every law that may tend to a more direct participation of the common people in governmental affairs and opposed to the general franchise, favoring instead a franchise based upon the average strength of the people."

## The Strongest Party

The Center or Catholic party is the strongest party numerically in the Reichstag and has been the surest guarantee without exception since 1907. From this it comes that the Center has always held the decisive vote on all questions and the government has always had to reckon with it. Its leading principle is the protection of the interests of the Roman Catholic church and its equality before the law with the Evangelical or state church. It supports a high tariff and since 1907 has been a government party, allied with the conservatives on all important questions and building thus what is called the "black-blue block."

The National Liberals, since the formation of the black-blue block, may be said to constitute a middle party, midway between the extreme monarchists and the extreme democrats. Once the all-powerful party of Germany, which supporting Bismarck, played an important role in the formation of the modern empire, the National Liberals have fallen from a high estate.

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## DON'T USE DRUGS FOR CONSTIPATION

### Just Try Nature's Cure

We all know that constipation brings on countless other complaints. It is not often in hand, appendicitis, saving them—but that any drug will lose its power after being taken for a time—but we should also know that if Nature can be assisted instead of being forced, so much the better for our health.

There is now a method of "Internal Bathing" which will keep the intestines clean and pure and free from waste products. Nature can cleanse—as, when taken occasionally, will prevent constipation, lithosis with its depression and the countless mere scurvy diseases which are caused by the blood taking up the poisons from the intestine and carrying them through the system.

That method is the "J. D. L. cascade" which is being enthusiastically used by many thousands, is prescribed by the most enlightened physicians everywhere, and is now being shown and explained by the Elder-Jaynes Drug Store in Lowell.

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tion of church and state, direct legislation by voters through the initiative and referendum, universal direct franchise, abolition of night work for women and children and the fullest self-government down to the smallest municipal divisions of the empire.

The socialists have no friends among the other parties and are hated by the emperor, who has termed them "the arch enemies of the empire." Their growth has been almost phenomenal. In 1871 they polled 112,045 votes; in 1887, 493,258; in 1890, 1,427,293, and in 1907, 3,278,000. This growth has come in the face of most determined opposition from the government, which suffers no socialists to hold any important government position or to receive any political honor, decoration or title.

**HAWAIIAN ISLANDS**

## Their Development Under American Rule

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The development of the Hawaiian Islands under American guidance is illustrated by figures presented in a document just received by the bureau of statisticians, department of commerce and labor. The document, entitled "The Hawaiian Annual, 1912," is issued annually by Mr. Thomas G. Thrall of Honolulu, and presents statistics of the production, commerce, finance, depopulation and education in these islands during a term of years down to 1911.

The figures of growth since the annexation of Hawaii to the United States and, indeed, since the reciprocity treaty of 1876 between the islands and the United States, by which freedom of commercial interchange with this country was established and investments of American capital thus assured, are extremely interesting. A table shows, for example, the production of sugar, by far the most important product of the Hawaiian Islands, from 1875 down to and including 1911. The production of sugar in 1875, the year immediately prior to the adoption of the reciprocity treaty, is given at 35 million pounds; by 1881 it had grown to 24 million pounds; in 1891, 275 million; in 1901, 691 millions; in 1910, 1,111 million; and in 1911, 1,611 million pounds, or 40 times as much as in 1875. The value, which was stated at \$14 million dollars in 1875, was given at 30.2 million in 1911, or 20 times as much in 1911 as in 1875. Thus the quantity of sugar produced in 1911 is 49 times as great as in the year immediately prior to the beginning of reciprocity, and the value 30 times as great, the relative difference in increase between quantity and value being due, of course, to a reduction in price of sugar meantime.

Of this increase of practically one billion pounds in the sugar production of the Hawaiian Islands since the adoption of the reciprocity agreement with the United States, more than one-half has developed since annexation, which occurred in the year 1898.

The sugar production of 1898, the year immediately prior to that of annexation, was, according to the table in question, 520 million pounds, as against 25 million in 1875, the year immediately preceding the reciprocity treaty, 1,111 million pounds in 1910 and 1,611 million in 1911. Thus the increase in sugar production in the islands during the 22 years of reciprocity, 1876 to 1898, was 405 million pounds, and during the period since annexation, 1898 to 1910, was 522 million pounds.

## HAD TWO HUSBANDS

### THE SECOND ONE WAS GRANTED A DECREE

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Judge White, in divorce court yesterday, set aside with a long list of uncontested cases, among the decrees he ordered last night was one of novelty. In the case of George H. Wallace of Boston, who testified that when he married Lila M. Farnham he supposed that her previous husband was dead. They were married in 1895, and after living together for about nine months Mr. Wallace came home one day from work and found his wife ready to leave the house with some of her things.

The only information Mr. Wallace could get from his wife was that she was going to Providence. He has not seen her since. Later Mr. Wallace learned that his first husband still lives. Lewis Farnham, was still alive. Farnham appeared in court yesterday and said he had supposed his wife had got a divorce from him when she married Mr. Wallace.

The judge did not appear in court and was defrauded by order of Judge White.

## FINE SHOWING

### MADE BY THE NEW ENGLAND INVESTMENT CO.

A meeting of the stockholders of the New England Investment Co. was held in Providence, R. I., Wednesday afternoon and the new board of directors who were elected last year for a term of three years submitted their first report which proved very satisfactory.

The meeting was presided over by Colonel William Marston of Manchester, N. H., president of the corporation and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary George Bergeron, also of Manchester, N. H. The Investment Co. is composed of 365 stockholders, representing \$56,010 shares. These shares which were formerly rated at 50 cents to \$2.00 per share.

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### IS IT INFAMED OR IRRITATED?

A simple application of the new remedy Cadium will stop the burning and itching, and prevent infection from disease germs. Cadium is an antiseptic that is wonderfully soothing and healing to an inflamed, irritated or raw skin, and can be used with confidence for skin and scalp troubles of adults and infants. A small cut, scratch, sore or wound is a nest-hive for disease germs. Cadium should be in every home for immediate use in all such emergencies, and for prompt application in skin troubles. It has proved a blessing to many who have suffered for years from tormenting and disfiguring skin diseases. Cadium acts quickly upon eczema, pustules, blisters, rashes, eruptions, sores, raw skin, ulcers, itching piles, etc.

For the last few weeks the working force of the shop has been gradually increasing and it is confidently stated that the 100% or more workers ordinarily employed at the shop will again be at work and greater activity than ever.

The shop was incorporated in Massachusetts in 1817 and the Kitson Machine

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\$12.50

Suits and Overcoats, hobby styles, men's and young men's models, the latest colors and fabrics and big sellers at the regular prices, now

\$20, \$22, \$25

\$15.00

Suits and Overcoats, our finest goods and hobby styles from the best makers, many exclusive patterns and models, now

\$22.50

\$30.00

Just a few lines of our best grades that sold up to \$30, now priced

The balance of our Far Lined Overcoats, all fine, high grade garments, specially priced at \$75, now only

\$25.00 Plush Lined Overcoats,

\$20.00

\$15.00 Sheep Lined Auto Coats,

\$12.50



(A Talbot Special Model)

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### For Small Boys, 3-4-5 Years

50 Russian Suits and 50 Russian Overcoats that sold at \$5, \$6 and \$7. Your choice this week, suit or overcoat

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(These are odd garments or small lots, a big variety of styles).

### For Big Boys, up to 18 Years

Every Suit and Overcoat in our store marked down; you can save from \$1.50 to \$5.00 on Boys' Clothes now.

## Furnishings and Hats

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.69c

Men's Soft Shirts, were 50¢, now

.35c

Men's Underwear, were 50¢, now

.39c

Men's Hose, were 15¢, now

.7c, or 4 for 25¢

Squirrel Lined Gloves, were \$5 and \$6, now

\$.40 and \$.50

Men's Suspenders, were 25¢, now

.17c

Men's Caps, fur inside bands, were \$1, now

.65c

Men's Cloth Hats, were \$2, now

.45c

Boys' Skating Caps, were 45¢, now

.29c

Ladies' Aviation Hats, were \$1.45, now

.95c

Ladies' Aviation Hats, were 95¢, now

.69c

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AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, CENTRAL STREET, CORNER OF WARREN.

## NEW STOCK ISSUED IN GOOD CONDITION

By the Lowell Machine Shop Owners

Principals in Tonight's

Bout Ready for Battle

Tonight at Higgins' Hall, corner Hanover and Market streets, the members of the Lowell Social and Athletic club will witness one of the best programs of the season. Charley Harper of Lowell, Wilmot H. Evans and Robert F. Burke, intend to go right ahead and do business. The "Big Shop" has been running on short time for a long time. It has gradually reduced its operations and the output to the present time to be very small as compared with what the "Big Shop" used to do. It looks, however, as if conditions would take on their old time form at this very important plant and the success and prosperity of the "Big Shop" means the same for the Kitson Machine shop as for the Lowell Machine shop.

The stock was sold by Boston and was quickly disposed of. The interest in the stock looks as if the new management, Messrs. Wilmot H. Evans and Robert F. Burke, intend to go right ahead and do business. The "Big Shop" has been running on short time for a long time. It has gradually reduced its operations and the output to the present time to be very small as compared with what the "Big Shop" used to do. It looks, however, as if conditions would take on their old time form at this very important plant and the success and prosperity of the "Big Shop" means the same for the Kitson Machine shop as for the Lowell Machine shop.

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**DRIVEN FROM HOME****Fire Forces 2,000 Tenants to Leave Their Homes**

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The over-populated flats, as in the case of the burning of a pair of garages in a Lowell tenement building, the land was worth more than the value of the buildings. Without these incendiary structures which drove two thousand fire-retarded by tenements, the crowded dwellers into the streets, the popular-looking houses, the picturesquely situated traffic for several hours, and especially on account of the severe threatening fire at two o'clock in the morning outside. People have to stand entire blocks of tenements and buildings through all these places, awakening houses in the most densely populated section of New York City. When the flames were finally put into the narrow street, they were steadily sent into the air, which a 30 mile wind was blowing, an hour's hard work by an entire battery of men to put them up. Firemen fought the blaze from the elevated railroad structure, which was declared to be less than \$200,000. Two ramshackle buildings, their stories in front of the building and traffic was in height, were destroyed but officials sifted up until daylight.

**FUNERALS**

were in charge of Mr. Charles L. Knapp under the direction of Undertaker C. H. W. Healey.

RUSCKI—The funeral of Vladislav Ruscky, the little Polish boy who lost his life in the Concord river a few days ago, took place yesterday afternoon. The funeral, son of Edmund and Eva Ruscky, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, 18 Borges street, and was attended by many relatives and friends. Services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, burial took place in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Winkenbeck.

LYNCH—The funeral of Mrs. Anna G. Lynch took place this morning at 10:30 from her home, 35 Chestnut street, and was largely attended.

TAYLOR—The funeral of John Taylor, 7 months old, was celebrated in front of his home, 11 Shaw street, St. Peter's church at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. E. V. Bigelow officiating. The bearers were Mr. Sergeant, Mr. Smith, Mr. Gaffney and Mr. Rice. The service was attended by relatives and friends. Delegations were present from William North Lodge of Masons, Grand St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Union Lodge, J. O. O. P., and shopmates of the Merrimack mills. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, C. M. Young in charge.

AGGANIN—The funeral of Christina Agganin, son of Anastasius and Panagia Agganin, took place yesterday evening on Jan. 11, in front of the family, standing at 3 o'clock from the home of his parents, 260 Moody street. Services were held at the grave by Rev. C. H. Dunnigan, pastor of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox church. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOWE—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Allen, spray of carnations and strelitzia, from front door, wreath of pinks and roses, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Howe, spray of carnations and strelitzia, from front door, wreath of pinks and roses, Margaret O'Heirean, spray of white pinks, Mr. James O'Leary, spray of carnations and strelitzia, from front door, wreath of pinks and roses, Mr. and Mrs. W. McElroy, spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McElroy, pastor of the Eliot Congregational church, Ap. Everett Gaffney, spray of pinks and carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, spray of carnations and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Howe, Edward R. Conant, wife and family, spray of pinks and carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warren, Burial was in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McEvoy and family.

HULL—The funeral of James Alcage, son, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, 18 Borges street, and was attended by many relatives and friends. Services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, burial took place in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Winkenbeck.

COTCHRANE—Mrs. Anna Cochran, aged 35 years, died last night at her late home, 5 Madison place. She was widely known and her many friends will be痛心 to learn of her death. She was a devout attendant of St. Peter's church for many years. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Bernard; two daughters, Catherine and Mary; two sons, John and George; four sisters, Mrs. Richard McTressen, Mrs. Jos. Delaney, Mrs. Hyatt Nease, Mrs. Michael Cahill and two sisters and a brother in Ireland.

MAYAL—Mr. Pierre Joyal, aged 57 years, 7 months and 22 days, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of this city, died this morning at his late home, 49 Moody street, after only four days illness.

Mr. Joyal, who for number of years had been an employee of the U. S. Bobbin & Shuttle company, was taken suddenly ill at his work last Monday and was removed to his home in the ambulance. A physician was called, but despite his efforts to save the man's life, the latter passed away this morning.

Deceased was favorably known in Lowell where he resided for over 30 years. He was for some time employed by Undertaker Joseph Albert.

Rev. L. C. Bedard, curate at St. Louis' church, is on a week's trip to Canada. He will return tomorrow.

**DETECTIVE TO PLEAD GUILTY**

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 12.—A morning paper this morning says that Bert H. Franklin, a detective arrested on a charge of bribery in the murder trial of James B. McNamara, has agreed to enter a plea of guilty. Franklin had a conference late yesterday with Deputy District Attorney W. Joseph Ford.

In the agreement it is stated that the state will be content to impose a fine of \$5000 on Franklin should he consent to tell the county grand jury all he knows about the alleged jury bribing.

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French Real Kid, overscan, 2 dome fasteners..... \$1.60 } 79c

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Children's Beaver

## INLAND WATERWAY

From New York to Florida

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 12.—It is now possible for a man, in pursuit of either health, pleasure, or business, to board a motor yacht in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, or Washington, and, leaving the ice and snow of northern latitudes, to travel through inland waters all the way, with the exception of 160 nautical miles, to the orange groves and flower-clad lands of the far south.

The eastern coast of the United States offers ideal conditions for yachting, and especially for motor boating, that are unrivaled anywhere. A great chain of sounds, bays, harbors, and a network of rivers extends along the coast from Maine to Florida, offering infinite passages for hundreds of miles. The importance of these through passages is becoming more generally appreciated, not only by yachtsmen but also by commercial interests, and government and private canals are being cut to extend them.

With the exception of the coast between Boston, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C., boats drawing not over 4 feet of water can go by inland waters from New York in the southern end of Florida, and larger vessels can use many parts of the route.

The federal government, which controls all navigable waters, is becoming more and more active in making these waters more useful to the public, both for business and pleasure.

Congress took an important step in this direction in March, 1909, when provision was made for surveys and estimates to show the cost of constructing a continuous "intracoastal waterway" from Boston, Mass., to the Mexican boundary, having such different depths along any portion or section as might be found sufficient for commercial, naval, or military purposes.

Penny club, Prentiss Hall, tonight.

## TEXTILE SCHOOL

## CASH PRIZES OFFERED TO THE STUDENTS

As has been the custom at the Lowell Textile school for the past few years, a certain friend of the institution has again offered several cash prizes to be distributed under the following conditions:

First—\$30 to the student taking the regular chemistry and dyeing course in the Lowell textile school who shall be considered as having attained the highest scholarship in first year chemistry.

Second—\$5 to such a student who shall be considered as having attained the second highest scholarship in first year chemistry.

Third—\$3 to such a student who shall be considered as having the highest scholarship during his second year.

Fourth—\$5 to such a student who shall be considered as having attained the second highest scholarship during his second year.

Fifth—\$10 to the regular chemistry and dyeing student of either the second or third year class who shall write the best article upon one of the five subjects to be specified by the instructing staff of the chemistry and dyeing department.

Sixth—\$20 to the regular chemistry and dyeing student who shall present the best thesis preparatory to graduation.

The above mentioned sums are to be invested in books which may be selected after graduation. In case no one is considered as being worthy of any particular scholarship, the same may be withheld, the decision in each case to rest with the judges.

The members of the third year chemistry class met at the Morris mark print works yesterday afternoon. The party was accorded by Professor Olney and Instructor Stecher and Standish.

## POSTOFFICE ROBBED

## THIEVES SECURE \$23 AT EAST WINDSOR

PITTSFIELD, Jan. 11.—The post office at East Windsor, eight miles from Hinsdale, was robbed by thieves last night and \$23 taken. The post office is in the store of Baldwin G. Shaw, who is postmaster. Deputy Sheriff E. H. Price of Pittsfield was notified of the burglary and sent Deputy Sheriff Maxwell of Hinsdale and Ford of Dalton to East Windsor.

## ORVILLE W. PEABODY HAS NOT QUALIFIED AS POUND-KEEPER

Orville W. Peabody who was elected poundkeeper by a unanimous vote of the municipal council, Wednesday, has not qualified for office and the mayor and other members of the council are wondering why Orville doesn't qualify.

He has addressed an open letter to the mayor and his fellow members on the board thanking them for the honor bestowed upon him and assuring them of increased efficiency in the work of his department. Mr. Peabody suggests that all horses having outlived their usefulness be pensioned and retired to a farm either in this country or in Canada. He also suggests that a fine be imposed upon drivers who allow their horses to stand unblanketed in the streets in cold weather and that horses like hobbles skirts should be frowned upon by humanitarians and all other sensible people.

## A TRUST FUND

## ESTABLISHED BY QUINCY A. SHAW FOR FORMER PARTNER

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The establishment of a trust fund by \$120,000 by the late Quincy A. Shaw for the benefit of Edward J. Hartnett of Brighton, Michigan, who was a partner of Mr. Shaw 45 years ago in what proved to be a losing venture, was disclosed yesterday when the trustees came into the equity session of the supreme court and asked for certain instructions. Mr. Shaw and Mr. Hartnett joined in a business deal in 1857 and within a few months it resulted in a loss. In the meantime Mr. Shaw was laying the basis of the fortune which he accumulated from the Michigan copper mines and in 1858 he set aside \$120,000 for the benefit of Mr. Hartnett and his family.

Mrs. Hartnett died in 1887 and Mr. Hartnett last September, leaving children, grandchildren and an adopted daughter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Lowell never saw the time when such Honest Values were offered.

THE Caesar Kisch Store  
ALEXANDER STRAUSS INC.

220 CENTRAL STREET

Cash Trade will do well to get in on these Bargains.

This Sale has now reached such proportions that we have added New Lots and Marked Down Others to keep the Same Big Wide Assortment

## Half Price or Less on Every Garment in Stock

A VERY CARNIVAL OF BARGAINS THAT MAY BE BOUGHT EITHER ON

## CASH OR CREDIT

MEN--Don't wait to be asked twice. Get in on these values while the selection is at its best

\$12.50 Suits at - - \$5.98

\$15.00 Suits at - - \$6.98

\$18.00 Suits at - - \$7.98

Boys' Suits - - - \$2.95

Boys' Overcoats - - \$2.95

Youths' Overcoats - - \$5.75

For Saturday Only=MEN'S \$18.50 OVERCOATS - - - \$7.49

GOLD WATCHES IN THIS SALE AT REDUCTIONS THAT AVERAGE FULLY ONE-HALF:

Men's Watch, \$8.98

Waltham movement. Gold case, guaranteed for 20 years.

Lady's Watch, \$10.98

Open face or hunting case. Guaranteed for 20 years. Waltham movement.

15 Jewel Waltham, \$13.98

Movements in guaranteed 20 year gold cases. Ladies' and men's, open faced or hunter's cases.

Sweaters..... 98c to \$3.49

Shoes ..... \$2.49

Umbrellas ..... 98c

Waists ..... 63c and \$1.23

Cotton Petticoats ..... 49c

Corsets ..... 98c

Ladies' Hats ..... \$1.98

Men's Hats ..... \$1.48

Boys' Black Suits ..... \$1.98

Rubber Raincoats ..... \$1.59

Boys' Coats ..... \$2.98

Youths' Suits ..... \$2.98

Wearables for Boys and Girls

As these lots are in many cases very small, we urge haste in buying.

Boys' Black Suits ..... \$1.98

Boys' Coats ..... \$2.98

Boys' Sweaters ..... 69c

Girls' Coats ..... \$2.98

Girls' Hats ..... 69c

\$5 RAINCOATS at \$1.59

Two Purchases of Such Unusual Value Enable Us to Put on Sale Today Women's Suits at \$7.98, \$9.98 and \$10.75

\$4.95 SILK PETTICOATS \$1.98

That at the season's beginning we should price \$15 to \$25. These are not old suits reduced, but fabrics bought at great concessions, made up by a manufacturer to keep his help together and models that feature many spring innovations.

\$18.50 Reversible Coats and All English two tone Coats --- up to \$25.00, to close out Saturday at \$7.98

A price that does not represent the first cost, but brings highly desirable, warm, good style coats to less than is often asked for cheap garments.

Dresden Muslin, \$1.25 a yard silk. The surplus stock of a big petticoat maker. All shades, light and dark.

Our Stock of Furs is Larger Than It Ever Was Consequently Reductions Are Greater in This Department

\$10 VOILE SKIRTS \$4.98

Warm weather, as everyone knows, affected the fur business—and now that cold weather is here, we have made reductions that force sales.

Opossum Muffs or Scarfs, \$1.98

Both Black and Isabella Opossum, large shapes of skins with full fur.

Black Fox Muffs, \$6.98

Of skins with long, shiny hair that looks like lynx. Formerly priced \$15.00 and \$18.00.

Blue Wolf Scarfs, \$7.49

Just the fur for the young miss who wants something dressy. Price just cut in half.

Blue Wolf Muffs, \$7.49

Special bargain. Marked at this low figure to make up a beautiful set to sell for \$14.98.

Reduced merely to conform to the values given in other departments. Altman's voile.

—Silk ornaments.

\$5 SILK WAISTS \$2.98

Black, navy and fancy dress waists. A good assortment of sizes and styles.

12.50 Caracul Coats \$5.98

These coats—Made up for our regular stock—Fine Venetian linings. 54 inches long. All sizes, 14 to 44.

\$6 Trimmed Hats \$1.98

These hats are made in a variety of styles, both plain and trimmed with heads and tails.

THE BUNTING CLUB  
Made Plans for Busy Winter Season

The board of directors of the United States Bunting Cricket Club and Athletic association held the regular weekly meeting at the club house, Monday, January 8th, when the general

grief of business was transacted. Renewals of membership being in order, a large number of them were voted up, and one new member admitted. Plans are also laid for a busy winter season.

The whole board was made an entertainment committee and promised a series of Sunday afternoon concerts which will be appreciated by all members who care to come out to the club house.

Plans, it is all money these days and wrist and cigarette are taking a hold in Lawrence last Saturday. Hey-fliers for the expiring quarter will be run a rummy tournament at the club and was accepted. There is every prospect that was left over at the annual meet-

ing in October is to come before the members of St. Michael's Holy Name will go to help community Sunday morning at the 8 o'clock mass. In the evening the members will report in the basement of St. Michael's church, and

the officers of the society, at their head, will proceed to St. Peter's church.

John White, chairman of the membership committee, will commence at 7 o'clock sharp. It will be necessary for the members to be at St. Michael's church not later than 6 o'clock in the evening. The society's part in the union will place them properly in the service to be held at St. Peter's church. White says that St. Michael's will be held at St. Peter's church. White says that St. Michael's will

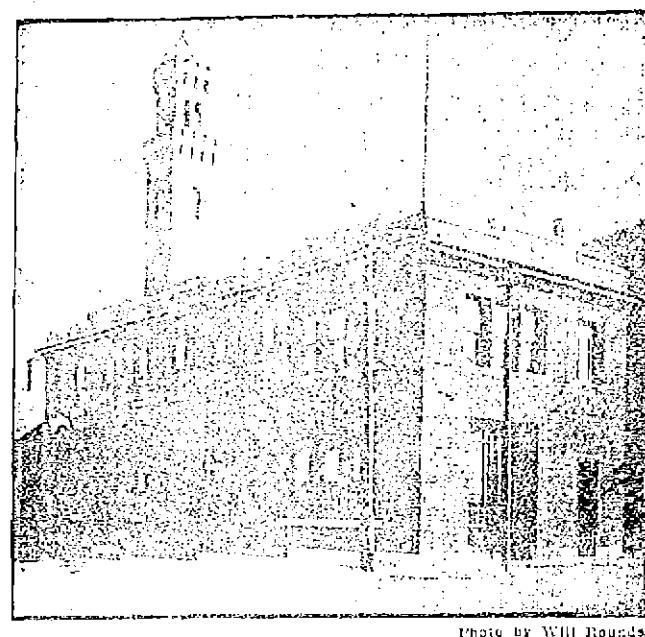








# NEW HOME DEDICATED



HOSE COMPANY, NO. 8'S NEW HOUSE.



DANIEL J. CROWLEY.

## Hose Co. No. 8 Has Finest Fire House in this Section

The new fire house at the corner of Merrimack and Elm streets, which is in a few weeks from now to be the home of the members of Hose Co. No. 8, is a fine specimen of architecture. It is a two-story brick building with the characteristics of the city government and streets about were paved, and after inspection the building may be judged as fit for use.

Tables were laid in the dining room, four being in the main house, while the other was in the stable and dining room, the ceiling was paneled throughout Market street and the timbered roof was "fit for the gods."

Present at the dinner were the mayor and other members of the city council, Mr. George H. Brown, who is in the department which protects life and property. According to his talk, it is hard work in the automobile and matches that in the near future the greater portion of the fire fighting apparatus will be self-propelled. In making this statement Mr. Heinen said he would like to present owing to a previous engagement.

City Collector Joseph Hennessy was one of the speakers and carried out his part of the program. In a speech he said that he was given a touching reception. At the conclusion of his address he was given a hearty reception. After congratulating the members of the department was also present and received many words of praise from the different speakers as a result of the manner in which he has carried the department to the high standard which it occupies at the present time.

We quote in part, as follows: "Mr.

Postmaster, invited guests and friends of Hose Co. No. 8 and my friends I am glad to be with you today's not as a business executive but as a friend of every member of the company in the department of Lowell. It is well known that there is always room for improvement, but the Lowell fire department improves as time passes and I think that the men of our department are as fine a lot of men as there

### WOMEN WITH PILES

BE CURED BY SIMPLY TAKING SUGAR COATED TABLETS  
CONSTRUCTION, TIGHT CLOTHING, AND WOMEN'S ORDEALS CAUSE ITES. WOMEN SUFFER PILES MORE THAN MEN AND ALL WILL BE GRATEFUL TO KNOW OF A SUCCESSFUL REMEDY. IN TABLET FORM, THAT BRINGS A CURE WITHOUT CUTTING, USE OF SALVES OR SUPPOSITORIES. THIS GUARANTEED REMEDY IS HEV-ROID, SOLD BY CARTER & SHERMAN CO., LOWELL, MASS., AND ALL DRUGSTORES. FOR TREATMENT LASTING 24 DAYS. J. LECHARDOT CO., STATION B, BURLINGTON, N. Y. PROP. WRITE FOR BOOKLET.

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Boracic Acid.....	lb. 19c
Carbolic Acid.....	lb. 35c
Carbolic Acid Sol.....	pt. 10c
Muriatic Acid.....	pt. 10c
Oxalic Acid.....	lb. 15c
Sulphuric Acid.....	lb. 5c
Nitric Acid.....	lb. 12c
Hydrofluoric Acid.....	oz. 35c
Tartaric Acid.....	lb. 50c
Citric Acid.....	lb. 70c
Phosphoric Acid.....	lb. 50c
Pyrogallic Acid.....	oz. 21c

are in the world." His honor then referred to the excellent work done by the committee in charge of the banquet, making special reference to his friend "Chuck" Conroy and J. Jackson Collins. In conclusion he said: "I hope the men of this company will live long enough to enjoy their new quarters and I am sure that they will be faithful to all the obligations imposed on them in the future as they have in the past."

Alderman Lawrence Cummings was the next speaker. He was introduced as the commander-in-chief of public property and license, but upon rising said that although he had taken up new duties, he would be a newspaperman all the days of his life. He spoke of the interest which he takes in fire and the drama, stating that it is necessary for a newspaperman to be interested in the fire department, telling how when a boy he used to go to see the fire apparatus pass by through Market street and then the timbered roof was "fit for the gods."

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40 MIDDLE ST.

somewhat familiar with the house. He said he believed in the very best treatment for the firemen but that he felt that a number of changes were necessary. "We have an efficient fire department in the city of Lowell," said Alderman Barrett. "I have heard good remarks and good statements about the fire department but I believe that there is a chance for improvement. I will endeavor to keep up the high standard it has at the present time and try to have it reach a higher standard. There are some changes which in my opinion should be made. All that is ask is the co-operation of the members of the department in order to better conditions."

Alderman George H. Brown said that the fire department of Lowell ranked second to none. He said that the high efficiency of the fire department was due to the efforts of the chief who has brought the department up to the present high standard. In conclusion he said he believed in rewarding honest merit.

Hon. John F. Meehan said that he took a great deal of pride in the new firehouse, principally because he was actively interested and signed the order which made the erection of the building possible. He said that the fireman is a very trying one,

"The fireman's first watchword is duty," said the speaker. "The course of duty is not always easy, however." He then spoke of the modern equipment but said that the equipment was not keeping pace with the increased fire dangers from congested buildings. He felt that there should be more stringent legislation to prevent fires, especially with reference to the licensing of dealers for the storage of oils, gasoline and other combustibles.

Chief Edward S. Horner, of the fire department, was the next speaker. He was greeted with a loud shout of "Hail to the chief" after which he was given three cheers and a tiger. He spoke of the building and said that the only fault that he could find was that the men had not been able to get into it soon enough because at the present time where they are located in Broadway they are cramped in quarters and living and doing their work under difficulties.

He said that it is his intention to co-operate with the head of the department.

Capt. Daniel Crowley was greeted with loud cheers as he was introduced. He thanked the members of the ruling city government for the excellent building and still he would do everything in his power to keep the building in its present excellent condition, and also do everything in his power to maintain the high standard that the fire department enjoys at the present time.

Among the other speakers heard were Inspector James Dow of the lands and buildings department, J. C. Mansfield, William F. McCarthy, George E. Monahan, Representative Henry Acton, Martin J. Courtney, Charles A. Connor and others.

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Lowell, Friday, Jan. 12, 1912.

# A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

THE GREATEST ARRAY OF UNDER-PRICES YET OFFERED WILL BE FOUND FOR TODAY'S SELLING

The Orange Cards Mark the Following Bargains in

## Wash Goods

### For 7c a Yard

Fine Madras Shirtings; regular price 17c.  
Domestic Percales; regular price 12 1-2c.  
Serpentine Crepes; regular price 10c.  
Plain Poplins; regular price 25c.  
Printed Flannelettes; regular price 15c.

### For 9c a Yard

Fine Cotton Repp; regular price 25c.  
Extra Fine Shirtings; regular price 25c.  
Scotch Zephyrs; regular price 25c.  
Plain White Lawns; regular price 20c.  
Printed Batistes; regular price 17c.

### For 12 1/2c a Yard

Superfine Flannels; regular price 17c.  
Swiss Chiffon; regular price 19c.  
Colored Wash Fabrics; regular price 29c.  
Anderson Zephyrs; regular price 25c.  
Fine Persian Lawns; regular price 25c.  
Yarn Mercerized Batiste; regular price 20c.  
Fancy Colored Poplins; regular price 37 1-2c.

### For 29c a Yard

Crepe Charmeuse; regular price 58c.  
Fancy Bluchs; regular price 62c.  
Printed Voiles, etc.; regular prices 58c to 75c.  
White Novelties; regular prices 58c to 75c.  
Glenbourne Zephyrs; regular price 50c.

### For 19c a Yard

Fine White Waistings; regular price 20c.  
50 Pieces Soisette; regular price 29c.  
Mercerized Poplins; regular price 25c.  
Fine Marquise; regular price 39c.  
Silk Batiste; regular price 25c.  
Silk Jacquards; regular prices 39c and 50c.  
Irish Dainties; regular price 25c.  
Bordered Silk Scarfings; regular price 29c.  
Plain Anderson Ginghams; regular price 29c.  
Anderson Shirtings; regular price 29c.  
Imported Persian Lawn; regular price 29c.  
Plain French Batiste; regular price 42c.

THE ABOVE PRICES DO NOT EXTEND OVER SUNDAY BUY TOMORROW NIGHT

Palmer Street

Centre Aisle

## Sheets and Pillow Cases

The past three months' accumulation of the largest Sheet and Pillow Case manufacturers in this country arrived January 1 (seconds). Such brands as Wamsutta, New Bedford, Dwight Anchor, Fruit of the Loom, Androscoggin, Langdon, Atlantic, Pepperell, Harvard Mills, etc.

### SHEETS

One Lot Bleached and Brown Sheets, sizes 72x90 and \$1x90, three inch top and one at bottom. Regular price 55c. Clearance sale price ..... 39c  
One Lot, size 72x90, Fruit of the Loom and Dwight Anchor cotton; also brown sheets; all sizes, very heavy cotton, worth 60c to 75c. Clearance sale price ..... 49c  
One Lot, size 81x90, Dwight Anchor, Fruit of the Loom and other makes; some hemstitched sheets among them; sells regularly for 79c and 89c. Clearance sale price ..... 59c  
One Lot, same quality as above, sizes 90x94, 90x108; regular values 98c and \$1.05. Clearance sale price only ..... 69c

### PILLOW CASES

One Lot Three Hundred Dozen (300 dozen) Pillow Cases, bleached and brown, that sell for 12 1-2c and 15c. Clearance sale price only ..... 3c each  
One Lot, assorted sizes, such brands of cotton as New Bedford, Dwight Anchor, Fruit of the Loom, etc., worth from 19c to 29c, plain and hemstitched. Clearance sale price only ..... 12 1-2c each

(All subject to slight imperfections)

### HOSPITAL SHEETS

Made of the best sheeting, Wamsutta cotton, size 63x90. This much cotton alone would cost, without being made, \$1.08. Special price, only ..... 69c

Palmer Street

Left Aisle

## Ladies' and Children's Hosiery and Underwear

25c Stockings selling at 12 1-2c, 15c, 17c, 21c pair  
50c Stockings selling at ..... Only 25c pair  
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Wool Vests and Pants, Only 85c  
75c Wool Vests and Pants ..... Only 62 1-2c  
Union Suits, were \$1.00 ..... Only 75c and 85c

West Section

Left Aisle

## UMBRELLAS

Grades that have been selling at \$1.50, now marked 69c and 98c each | Men's \$3 and \$3.50 Umbrellas.... Only \$1.50 each

Boys' Fleece Shirts and Drawers, 25c quality, for ..... 25c

Boys' Fleece Shirts and Drawers, 25c quality, for ..... 19c

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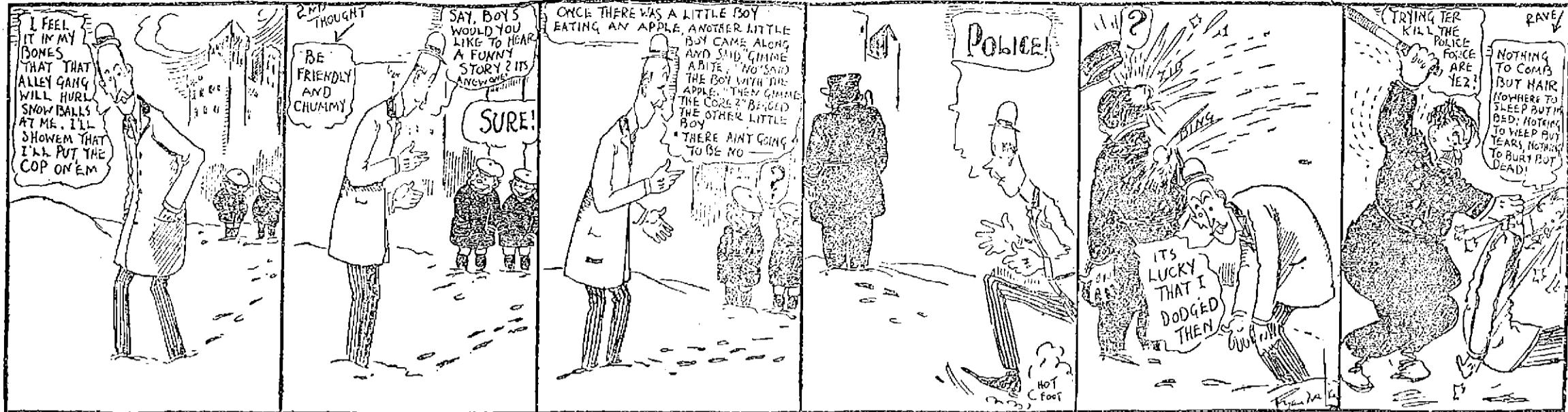
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Palmer Street

Basement

## MR. I. L. SHOWEM APPEALS TO THE POLICE—WITH USUAL RESULTS



## INDUSTRIAL TRAINING

## Principal Dooley Addressed Men's League of Grace Church

Principal William H. Dooley of the Lowell Industrial school spoke before the city department of the school last night. He spoke on industrial training; there are silent school committees; the school is just as important as the local war time the schools; not a substitute for it but just education in the preparing of a person for complete living. This he said that the schools must provide that means the teaching of the boys and girls which will make them useful and happy; and while he did not mention usefulness various signs are listed and Greek, he said that in a community like this some signs should be quite another sort. There are the signs for industrial training. He said that the industrial school is just as important as the local war time the schools. Woodward, president of the Massachusetts Industrial League and part, he said:

"Eighty per cent of the people must

## May Become a Nation of Bearded Women

## IF YOU VALUE YOUR FACE, BEWARE OF SO-CALLED HAIR REMOVERS

## They Cause a Soft Fuzz to Come Back &amp; Stiff, Bristly Beard

It is the opinion of eminent authority that if women continue to remove superfluous hair with these questionable concoctions, pastes, powders and so-called "liquid cures," which invariably cause the hair to grow out again coarser and heavier after each removal, that it is only a question of time when we will practically have a nation of bearded women.

These concoctions and compounds are made of quicklime or other clay ingredients, which tests have proven only promote the growth of hair after each removal.

If you do not mind the risk you take in using them, why pay twenty-five cents to one dollar or more for them, when you can procure from any drug store for five or ten cents a sufficient quantity of the ingredients to last a year?"

Of course the injury done by such preparations does not manifest itself with the first or second application, but the real danger lies in the frequent or continued use of them.

It is surprising that anyone should use these uncertain means for removing superfluous hair when there is such a thoroughly safe and logical method as DeMiracle for removing these blemishes.

Every woman must realize that when a soft fuzz is removed by these so-called depilatories the hair comes back a stiff, bristly beard, which will necessitate a much longer and more persistent treatment with DeMiracle than it would have otherwise required if DeMiracle had been used before the growth of hair had been stimulated by the use of them.

It is needless to say that there are several methods of deception practiced by the makers of these fake hair removers. Among them are those who resort to making extravagant and impossible claims in sensational advertisements. Others who publish fake "Beauty Article" advertisements.

Of them all the meanest and most contemptible are those fake who try to delude the public by making a cow-dung-like attack on the validity of quotations published from newspapers, magazines and testimonial.

Even if it were true, as they say, that reliable publications could be bought with money, these charlatans would be the first to buy them, in order to lend an air of respectability to their nefarious business.

First—We will forfeit One Thousand Dollars if we cannot show the original magazine, newspaper or letter from which we quote.

Second—We will forfeit another Thousand Dollars if any other manufacturer of a depilatory can show insertments from the same publications from the same class of Physicians, Surgeons and Dermatologists.

have experience before they can understand the principles taught in a book. The first type of person, the book-minded, learns readily, but does forgets readily.

The motor-minded must be taught differently. The early colonial training was largely on the farm with little schooling. The boys were trained by experience. The apprenticeship system came into practice and the boy learned his arithmetic by practical experience and he learned his English in connection with his trade. This state is true in the mills. It was practice first and reason afterwards.

In 1850 there was a shortage of labor. The master workman left the quiet of the shop to the journeymen and this developed into the specimens that is now prevalent. Journeyman have no time to teach apprentices now because they are busy serving clients.

The boys are no longer trained workers turned out from apprenticeships. They must be trained specialists before they go to work. The schools have in the past been specially working with the book-minded and have not been conducted for training the boys and girls for anything but higher education. Since the old apprenticeship system died, the boys and girls from 14 to 16 years of age have labored around without special interest. It has been found that 35,000 boys and girls of this age are located in Massachusetts. This is the most active age for children and to meet this need for training at that age the state decided to establish industrial schools, paying one-half and the other one-half. Lowell last spring took up the plan and has started an industrial school.

The industrial school is located in the high school. It takes boys and girls of high school age and educates them for useful employment. The other necessary branches of education are taught except the dead languages. "The boy is taught to lay out his work. He is given somewhat the same training as he received in the old apprenticeship system. The grammar school master knows the boys and can and does advise him whether to go to the industrial school or not. The industrial school is no reform school. The boy who fails to do earnest work in the grammar school is not prepared for or wanted in the industrial school. Our school is no scrap heap."

"In the mill there is no education for the boy or for the shop手."

A man today has no chance to study his work in the mills. We think the boy who is going into the mill ought to know something about his work. A grammar school boy should be required to make a complete pair of shoes or do some weaving or spinning. Then when he gets into the shop or mill he will know what the different processes mean and he can think about his work.

"Every citizen in the community ought to take an interest in the boy of 14 years of age because he is the future workman and the future citizen. His interests should be watched over.

"We have a plan for a part time system. That is, the boy who must work may come to the school one morning and on Saturday afternoon and get some teaching in English and mathematics.

"While we have been teaching the boys to make money, we have not been educating the girls to spend it. The girls need to know how to make the dollar go the farthest and how to save and be economical.

"To the girls we teach certain branches that they should know and we teach about 120 girls a week. They are shown how to do things that will count in making their lives happier and more useful.

"I am not denying Latin and Greek, but in a community like this we should spend some money for industrial education. It is just as important in the high school; not a substitute for it, but just as important. It is an educational need in the community. The public schools must provide that sort of training which will make John a useful citizen."

"The solution of industrial education is this," said Mr. Dooley. "It is the plan system, which will be compulsory. Boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 18 will go in groups from the mills to the school one morning a week and in two years' time I hope this state will require every working boy to go to school eight or nine hours a week. Every boy between 11 and 18 is to be required to go to work or go to school. This would keep boys at their best ages, out of the bad rooms and off the street corners and would in the end brighten the bottoms of the beds. This problem is a serious one."

## RUNS TO HOSPITAL BY TORCH

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—David Goldstein, 40 years old, of 56 Billerica street, was burned about the face and head shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon when his torch exploded on the first floor of the dwelling at 61 Billerica street. While the firemen were hurrying to the house in response to an alarm from box 702, Goldstein ran to the Relief station, where his burns were dressed.

Thomas Buckley owns the property and the damage only amounted to \$1. ST. THOMAS' SALVE has no equal. Try it. All leading druggists, 35¢.

## SUPT. TITTMANN

## Discusses Safeguarding Lives and Property

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 12.—The recent great development of motor boating, the largely increased size and draft of merchant and war vessels, the natural changes in the bars and shoals, the newly discovered rocks, the gradual improvement of channels and harbors of the coast, the exacting demands of modern navigation arising from traffic expansion, and the safeguarding of human lives and property are interesting topics discussed in the report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1911, which Supt. G. H. Tittmann, the new director to Secretary Naval, has transmitted to Congress. The latter appliance consisting of a horizontal wire which is supported by suitable buoys and set at any depth, is dragged over the area to be examined. Improvements have been made in the unchanged appliances used in connection with this drag, permitting an increase in the length to any desired extent and enabling a larger area to be covered in less time than heretofore. Under suitable conditions a wire over two miles long has been used for this purpose.

These conditions cause a corresponding extension of the surveys required to keep the charts up to date. They must be made at frequent intervals to keep pace with the continual changes. Many waterways but little frequented formerly are now used extensively and consequently there is an urgent demand for accurate charts of the inland waterways and shallow waters along the coasts. Charts containing the tides and currents and the directions of the compass needles are necessary for the use of the navigator and are enclosed in the charts, the Coast Pilot, the Tide Tables, and other current publications of the survey. The positions of lightships and other aids to navigation must be accurately determined and finally, in-

portant channels and harbors must be fully gone over to make certain that no hidden dangers have been overlooked by the ordinary methods of surveying.

## Work of Wire Drag

There are ports existing at depths to which the older and lighter draft vessels had up to now been unable to penetrate, which at 20 feet below the surface, due to the existence of a submerged rock, which the drag failed to miss. The report shows that as an auxiliary to the lead the ocean bottom is swept by channel sweeps and dredges as they are called, the latter appliance consisting of a horizontal wire which is supported by suitable buoys and set at any depth, is dragged over the area to be examined. Improvements have been made in the unchanged appliances used in connection with this drag, permitting an increase in the length to any desired extent and enabling a larger area to be covered in less time than heretofore. Under suitable conditions a wire over two miles long has been used for this purpose.

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the wide scope of activities. The activities of the survey cover an astonishingly wide scope, for it is instructed with the duty of charting about 20,000 miles of coast line, including not only the shores of the United States, but those of Porto Rico, in the West Indies, and those of Alaska, the Hawaiian Islands, and the Philippines, in the Pacific.

The report shows that on the Atlantic coast the survey's vessels were mostly engaged in making surveys, as, for instance on the Nantucket Shoals, where the strong tidal currents are apt to produce changes and where the prevalence of fog renders navigation difficult for the enormous commerce which traverses that region. These conditions suggested the advisability of constructing the Cape Cod Ship canal, now nearing completion.

## LOWELL TRUST CO.

## HELD MEETING AND ELECTED OFFICERS FOR 1912

The annual election of officers of the Lowell Trust company was held in the directors' room late yesterday afternoon. Much important business was transacted. Reports were read, which showed that last year was the most prosperous in the bank's history. The following directors were chosen: Frank P. Dow, James C. Donovan, M. F. Cushing, C. E. Collins, Charles H. Hanson, Charles O. Hall, George M. Harrison, Frank F. Harris, George L. Huntington, John J. Hogan, James H. Kelley, Thomas P. Kelley, P. O'Hearn, James T. O'Donnell, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Major G. Perkins, Orrin H. Parker, Barth Scammon, Jr., Paul Vincent, Gen. E. Monahan, George M. Harrison, who chose president and John P. Connelly, secretary.

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. John J. Muldoon, a popular young man of St. Peter's parish and Mrs. Jessie H. McCaffrey, a charming young lady of ward seven, were united in marriage at St. Patrick's rectory by Rev. Timothy Callahan, Wednesday afternoon. The bride was beginning to grieve in a traveling suit of brown. The bridegroom, Miss Mae McCaffrey, sister of the bride, wore a blue dress. The bride carried bride roses and the bridegroom pink carnations. Mr. Muldoon was attended by his brother Frank J. Muldoon. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple departed for the depot where they were greeted by a host of young friends who showered them with confetti and wishes of good will. After an extended wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon will be at home to their friends, Feb. 20th, at 22 Agawam street. They were the recipients of many costly gifts.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Court Knights of America, Worcester, was held last night. There was a large attendance and considerable business of importance was transacted the principal business being the installation of the newly elected officers. After the business meeting, remarks were made by Brother Dunn, Gobright, Frick and Carter Martin. Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed. The officers installed were as follows: Chief ranger, John A. Nelson; recorder; chief ranger, Walter Magruder; assistant secretary, Eddie A. Morris; recorder; treasurer, Ned J. Andrews; recorder; recording secretary, Dean Naylor; senior warden, Eddie Johnson; senior beadle, Augustus Illia; recorder; junior beadle, Olof Larson; lecturer, C. G. Nyström; trustee for three years, Oscar Erikson; court factor, J. H. Albert Johnson.

## Knights of Pythias

The regular meeting of Butler Arms Company, Union Rank Knights of Pythias, was held last night and the recently elected officers were installed by Assistant Inspector General R. E. Clewlow and staff. A large attendance of 150 members enjoyed the social and many programs were heard on the program made. The officers installed were Harry C. Brown, captain; Edward F. Lawton, first lieutenant; W. M. Goodwin, second lieutenant; Alex F. Fecteau, recorder; George W. Lees, treasurer; W. M.

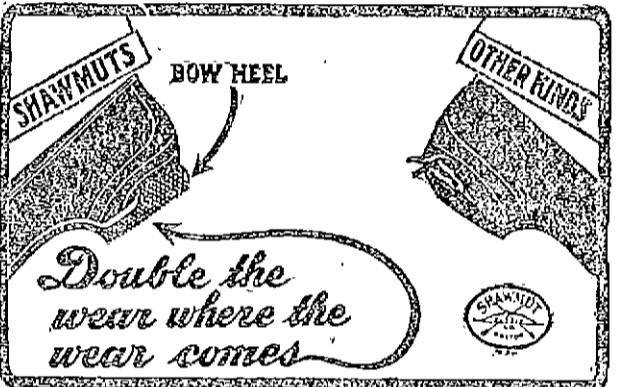
Henry, first sergeant; W. J. Benoit, second sergeant.

## Order of Golden Cross

There was a public installation of officers at the meeting of Washington Commandery, G. O. O. of the Golden Cross, held last night and the attendants proved to be a large one. At the conclusion of the installation a Victoria concert was given. The officers installed were:

N. C. Charles Morton; V. N. C., Mrs. Leon Christie, prelate; Mrs. Brown; Gerald, Roy Loveling; keeper of records, Hector Turnbull; financial keeper of records, F. J. Spaulding; treasurer, John Thorne, Jr.; warden of the inner gate, Mrs. Charles Morton; warden of the outer gate, N. W. Matthews, Jr.

The Royal Arcanum Highland council 370 met in regular session last night in Highland hall and routine business was transacted. Two applicants were initiated to membership and arrangements were completed for a grand union meeting and class initiation to be held in Old Fellow's hall on March 6. After the business meeting, whilst was enjoyed, the winners being as follows: Fred E. Jones, first; Frank Dodge, second; W. A. Shealey, third. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

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EAST SECTION

LEFT AISLE



# OFFICERS WERE CHOSEN

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men organized and carried on under the auspices of the church and working in sympathy with the parish. Fr. O'Brien upon taking charge of the parish resolved to promote such a society. He called a meeting of the men of the parish and it was held in the school hall.

Amid much enthusiasm and unanimity of sentiment a constitution was adopted. Election of officers was held and the following gentlemen were chosen and installed as the first board of government of the lyceum: President, Edward J. Carroll; vice-president, John F. McDonagh; recording secretary, John J. Pirder; financial secretary, John J. Sullivan; treasurer and spiritual director, Rev. John J. McHugh; trustees, Daniel S. O'Brien, James Phelan, James J. O'Hearn, John Sullivan and John P. Curley.

Under the wise guidance and persistent efforts of the above named officers the lyceum grew rapidly and showed results, that encouraged Fr. O'Brien to ask the parishioners to give to the young men the commodious and beautiful quarters which they now occupy.

Plans were soon made for the addition of two stories to the boys' school and, for the purpose of securing funds, the priests of the parish made a house to house collection in the parish, which proved successful. The addition was soon made and the members had the pleasure of seeing one of the finest Club houses in New England.

The dedicatory exercises were held June 1912. A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presence of Cardinal O'Connell, then bishop of Portland. The latter delivered an eloquent address, appropriate to the occasion.

In the quarters the members have every facility for physical, mental and spiritual improvement. There is a well equipped gymnasium, with lockers and shower baths, where hand ball, basketball and other games are played.

There are also classes in physical culture and during the winter seasons instructions are given regularly by a competent instructor. There are pool and billiard tables, pianos and various other features of a well appointed club house. The assembly hall is very spacious and well furnished. The society has also a library, where papers, books, magazines and other interesting literature may always be found on the shelves.

A debating club and dramatic society are included in the organization. The lyceum insists that the members be practical at all times, cultural in the performance of their duty and as a test of their sincerity they approach the Half Table at least four times a year fully realizing that going to communion in a body is a powerful factor for the good of the society and to the individual, and builds a beautiful and impressive example to the congregation and the community.

The lyceum at the present time is most active and prosperous. It embraces a large and representative membership and many new members are being enrolled.

Any young man who has attained the age of 18 years and is a practical Catholic is eligible to membership. Applications for membership must be addressed to the board of directors, who are empowered to accept or reject applications for consideration.

**The Directors**

The lyceum is governed by a board of directors, consisting of 15 members.

The members of the lyceum elect in June and December eight members to serve for six months. The rector of the church in the same months appoints seven members to the directors to serve for six months. The rector also appoints a priest of the parish to act as his representative and the latter acts as spiritual director and treasurer of the organization.

The board of directors shall choose from among their members at the first regular meeting held in January and a president, vice president, recording and financial secretaries.

fair was brought to a close about midnight.

**Sketch of Organization**

Following is a brief history of the organization:

The Catholic Young Men's Lyceum was founded by Rev. William O'Brien, P. R. of St. Patrick's church, March 3, 1901.

Aware of the great advantages to be derived from a society of young

men, the installation session was held in the assembly hall and lasted about half an hour. Upon making their selections, the doors were thrown open to the other members, and announcement of the new officials made. Those elected are: President, John J. McCarthy; vice-president, Albert Lavo; recording secretary, Charles Flynn, and financial secretary, John F. Murphy.

The installation exercises proved to be the feature of the evening. Martin Clark was in charge of the ceremony, and he was known as the worthy master. His assistants with their titles were: John Hennessy, worthy president; George Randell, worthy vice-president; Edward Quinn, worthy recording secretary, and Charles O'Neill, worthy financial secretary.

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The staff when called, marched from an ante room to the assembly hall. The worthy marshal read the names of the officers. The members of the staff occupied the chairs of the respective officers represented. In the front row of seats were the new officers. Each was seated to his chair and installed. In fitting words the installing staff presented each officer with a pin, symbolic of some great qualification.

The new officers upon assuming their duties thanked the board of directors for election and each promised to do his best for the benefit of the lyceum.

President McCarthy said that he greatly appreciated his return to office, and assured all that he would work untiringly for an increase in membership of the organization, and for its benefit generally. He asked for the co-operation of all, not only in spirit, but in action.

Brother O'Connell delivered a short talk on what the organization meant in the bringing of young men of the parish together in healthful exercises and in social meetings. He also spoke of the relation which ought to exist toward those outside of the club and of the means which should be used to bring them into the club.

A business session followed and the members discussed the society's trip to Lawrence on next Thursday evening. They decided to turn out in large numbers. The Lawrence affair will be held under the auspices of the Lawrence Catholic Young Men's Association, and will take the form of a tournament and "ladies' night." The program will include match games in pool, billiards, cards, bowling and dancing.

The Lowell society will leave the Middlesex street station at 7:15 o'clock on a special train. The committee in charge of the affair reported great progress.

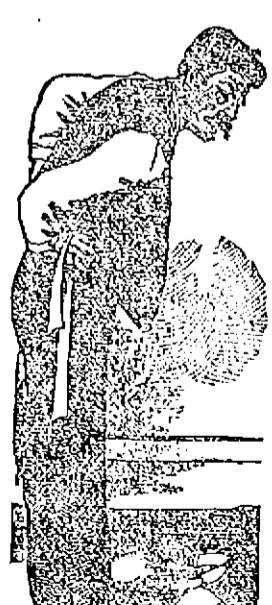
The financial secretary's report was read and it showed the society to be in a sound financial condition. An-

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# THE RUSSIAN-AMERICAN PASSPORT QUESTION



But this is the time to fear  
When he stands up like a tired man, tottering near and near;  
When he stands up as pleading in wavering, uncertain guise;  
When he veils the hate and cunning of the little, shrewd eyes;  
When he shows at seeking quarter, with paws like hounds in prayer—  
That is the time of peril, the time of the  
truce of the bear!

Make ye no truce with Adoniaszad—the  
bear that walks like a man!

Rudyard Kipling.

By CHARLES N. LURIE.

**W**HETHER or not we shall follow Kipling's advice given in the verse quoted above and "make no truce with Adam-azad, the bear that walks like a man," he symbolized Russia, remains to be learned in the year that must elapse before the demise of the old treaty which we have denounced. But we shall do well if we succeed in bringing the advisers of the czar to our view that "all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

Before this time Russian diplomacy has been likened to a gladiator, moving with irresistible force to its ends. It is a long experienced, astute diplomacy against which the shrewdest, ablest minds of Europe have struggled in vain. If we shall win for our citizens without distinction based on religion the right to enter Russia we shall astonish Europe, for Europe knows better than we do the Russian mind, with its persistency, its quiet determination not to yield an iota more than is necessary.

#### Russian View of State Church.

The rock which the ship of American negotiations must avoid if shipwreck is to be averted is described in "The Russian Advance," by Senator Albert J. Beveridge, formerly senator from Indiana. He quotes a division master of the Marchurian railway as saying:

"I believe with all my soul in the orthodox Greek church, but I believe in

it as an engine of national authority Greek church and be a good Russian, more than in a religious way."

"Here," continues Beveridge, "darning Russia," you may not forsake allegiance to her and become a citizen of any other country. If you are a Russian Jew who have fled from terrible persecution and have found safety and peace and an opportunity to live in America or any other country, and prefer the opportunity to breathe the free air of heaven without fear of misfortune, you have become a lawful citizen of the other country, you may present difference with Russia on the right to enter Russia again, even if it be to see your dying mother. Or if you are a Russian holding place in the government service of his country, and all the places, high and low, practically are in Russia for instruction or pleasure held by members of the state church—then had the gates barred because, for the man who does not belong to the sixth year ancestors were with Moses in both a heretic and a traitor when he received the Ten Commandments.

You cannot be a dissenter from the

if you are a Roman Catholic priest or a Protestant missionary, desiring to preach in Russia the doctrines of the faith which you believe to be necessary for the salvation of souls, you may not enter the land of the czar. Preaching doctrines not held by the orthodox Greek church is treason to the state and to the church of which the emperor is the lay head.

Many thousands of Russian Jews have come to this country in recent years. They have settled in New York and other cities. They are a busy, enterprising people, able, if unhampered,

to make their way in trade and the professions. They have their faults due partly to the long oppression which Russian Jew in America has not been their lava undergone, but they are unopposed. There has been talk of the

monopolies of America as readily, on the poor refuse, and other criticism of the

whole, as the folk of other descent, some sort, has been heard. There have

been some astonishing instances of economic success by Russian Jews, and they have aroused envy in some unsuccessful competitors. But such instances are few compared with the number of Russian Jews who have found refuge here, and the plotters of New York, Chicago and other large American cities are crowded with these people who work very hard for their livelihoods. Their industry and intellectual quickness are not denied even by their enemies, and it seems as though America has little to fear from an element of its population forming so very small a percentage of the whole, however bright and acquisitive they may be.

Besides the objection urged against the Jew in Russia, the same indictment that is brought against the adherent of any other religion. Then the state church—that he is by the mere fact of his religion an enemy of the state—is there the economic fight made against his presence. It is said that where the Jew is permitted to trade his monopolyes, but in the same breath his superior ability and willingness to work hard are admitted. Russia, with its 150,000,000 persons of all religions, has about 6,000,000 Jews, most of them miserably poor. The economic objection is, therefore, that the rest of the Russians are afraid that

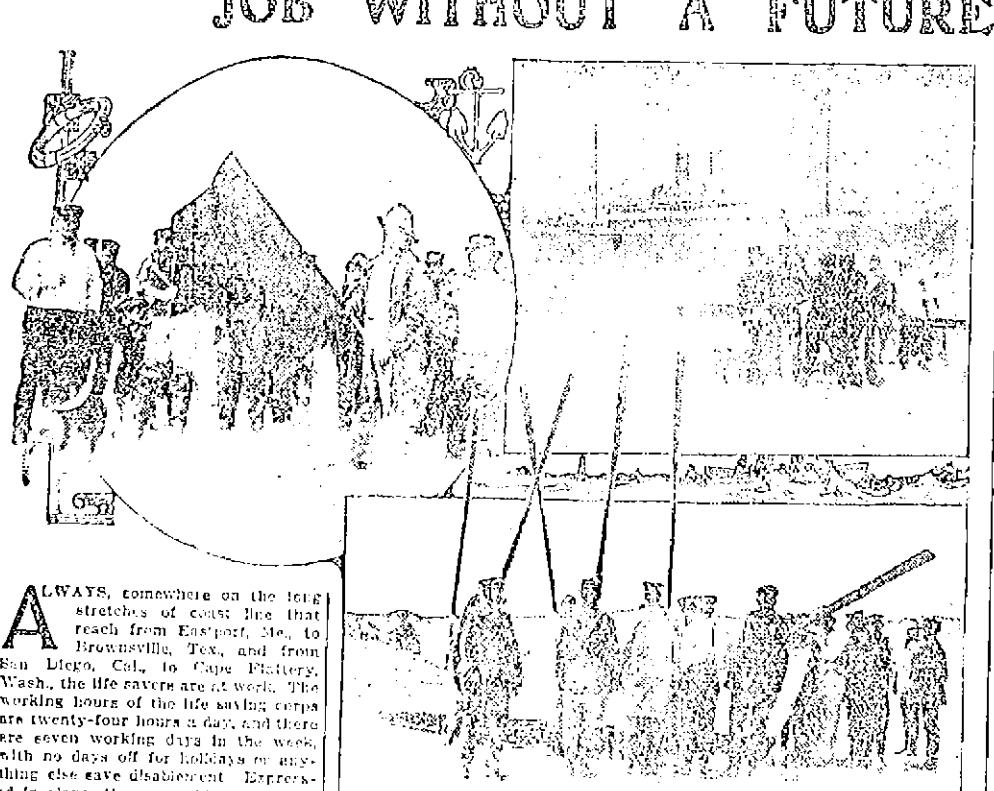
per cent of the population will monopolize the trade of the empire, fooling the United States?

According to an investigator of the passport question, "for more than thirty years Russia has been fooling the United States. Russia violated the treaty with the United States and introduced in this country a system of religious inquisition by compelling American citizens desirous of entering Russia to state their faith when seeking to have their passports vised, or approved, by the Russian consuls. When the applicant was a Jew, a priest or a missionary the approval was withheld, and the intending traveler could not enter Russia. Any American desiring to enter Russia must pass a religious test at the Russian consulate here."

"When American presidents and secretaries of state pointed out to Russia that she was violating the terms of the treaty Russia replied by naming evasions. All diplomatic evasions were put off by Russia's promises that a special commission was appointed to deal with the subject. By deceiving the American statesmen Russia has deceived the people of the United States."

By all the speakers and writers on this question emphasis has been laid on the fact that this passport subject is not a Jewish question, but an American issue. The right to enter Russia denied to American citizens of Jewish faith has been denied equally to Roman Catholic priests and Protestant missionaries. Although the Jews have been the persons primarily concerned and have been the chief movers in the matter, they are acting not as Jews, but as American citizens, with rights guaranteed by the treaty with Russia to move freely into and within the boundaries of the czar's empire.

## LIFE SAVING NOW A JOB WITHOUT A FUTURE



LIFE SAVERS AT WORK.

**A**LWAYS, somewhere on the long stretches of coast line that reach from Eastport, Me., to Brownsville, Tex., and from San Diego, Cal., to Cape Flattery, Wash., the life savers are at work. The working hours of the life saving corps are twenty-four hours a day, and there are seven working days in the week, with no days off for holidays or anything else save disbursement. Employed in racing, the same thing runs—the life saving service is "on the job all the time."

For some time past efforts have been made to induce congress to establish a retirement and pension system for the men who risk their lives to save lives and property endangered on our coasts. There is no provision in the law now whereby they may be cared for when they become old or infirmed by hard work or disabled by injury in the service of the nation. Their work is well known to the people for its picturesque character has drawn many a pen and typewriter, to say nothing of brush and camera, to its description. But it is not known so well that no pension or retirement system exists for these heroes of the life boat and the life line. The recent report of the secretary of the treasury, in whose jurisdiction the life saving service is placed, says:

"It is a matter of great disappointment that the bill pending in the sixty-first congress making provision for the retirement of disabled experimenters of life saving districts and keepers and

crews of life saving stations failed of enactment. It cannot be questioned that remedial legislation of the kind proposed is urgently needed to keep the life saving establishment up to a high state of efficiency, to say nothing of the duty of the government to act in caring for, when incapacitated by disability or age, a class of public servants engaged in an admittedly hazardous calling. It becomes unnecessary to say anything further except earnestly to renew the recommendation heretofore made in this connection."

That is a cold, official way of restating the old, familiar saying that "He-publies are merciful." The truth implied, formerly only to individual men who had distinguished themselves in the services of republics, now, in the case in point, applies to a large class of men who risk their lives, their limbs and their health, in most cases for small wages, and have nothing to look forward to but the cold decision,

"discharged for physical disability."

When the value of the property sal-

vaged by the life savers is consid-

ered apart from the lives saved, it certainly

appears that the government could well afford to provide for the retirement and pensioning of the life savers. The following figures of the work of the service are taken from the secretary's report. They cover the fiscal year ended June 29, 1911:

Vessels触碰ed..... 1,611

Vessels触碰ed, lost..... 1,533

Persons触碰ed on board..... 5,818

Persons触碰ed at stations..... 49

Days触碰ed..... 53

Values触碰ed..... 58,832

Value of触碰ed..... 21,223

Total value of property involved..... 11,684,516

Value of property saved..... 10,691,375

Value of property lost..... 1,501,640

In his report the secretary calls attention to the miscellaneous nature of the service rendered by the men of the life saving crews. Not only do

they aid vessels in distress on the coast, taking off their crews and passengers when necessary, but they afford aid and comfort in time of trouble to the communities in which their stations are situated. In the last fiscal year recorded, "ninety-nine persons who had fallen into the water from piers, bridges and other exposed places or whose lives were otherwise imperiled in the water or on land were rescued. First aid treatment was administered to eighty-eight sick and injured persons. Shelter, assistance and clothing were provided for 122 persons driven by storm, floods and tides to find refuge at the stations. The bodies of 155 persons who were drowned or who had met death in other ways were recovered from the water or picked up on the beaches. A considerable quantity of property, such as fish nets, lumber, automobiles, domestic animals, etc., was saved from the sea, extricated from bogs, mud and quicksands and otherwise recovered. Effective assistance was afforded on seventy-three occasions of fire, involving dwellings, warehouses, grain elevators, factories, piers, forests, etc. On 117 occasions assistance of importance was rendered to other branches of the public service."

It cost the government \$2,277,530.11 to maintain the service for one year. This does not seem to be a very large amount when the number of life saving stations—233—the number of lives saved and the value of the property saved are taken into consideration.

BOYCE GARDINER.

#### WRECKS IN THE CARIBBEAN SEA.

An average annual loss in wrecks in excess of \$2,000,000 in the Caribbean sea directs attention to certain problems in this basin, considered as the Atlantic approach to the Panama canal, now nearing completion. That the stated loss is due principally to conditions which can be remedied is recognized by all maritime authorities.

With a long littoral and area equal to the Mediterranean, the Caribbean presents a series of related conditions no less interesting than those of the Suez gateway and far less advanced toward solution. Foremost in immediate commercial and maritime importance come questions of accurate and comprehensive charting of adequate lighthouses, buoys and buoys. Following closely run the detailed and seasonal study of currents, meteorology, magnetic variations and the imperfectly known contours of the ocean bed.

The geography of the littoral and islands needs critical examination, for in few

other parts of the known globe are the forces of erosion, upheaval and coastal growth in such rapid operation.

Four centuries have passed, and yet

the Caribbean is almost as closed to

exact knowledge as when the first white

keel shared its blue waters.—American

Review of Reviews.

cent instances of alteration in the world's estimate of a man. Reference to the newspaper files of a dozen or

more years ago show that in the early

years of his manhood Francis Ferdinand was not highly esteemed. He

was called a scamp, a spendthrift,

a roué and about everything else that is discreditable. Then came a period of laudation, due to his fitness in stick-

shall be the test of holding and retaining office. Before his active participation in the administration of his empire, aristocracy, with no qualification of fitness, was the sole condition of admission to high place.

If there is room in the world for two eminent Germanic monarchs, Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany and Kaiser Franz Ferdinand of Austria-Hungary will be

justified as cold, haughty men, too proud of his descent, his rank and his position in these days of the spread of republican ideas.

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the two. If there should be room for but one, with Francis Ferdinand and William or William's successor coming into conflict, there are those who say that Francis Ferdinand will be the one. He has the impulsive, soft centered, stubborn mind that will brook no rival. He does not like the Hohenzollerns particularly, has no affinity with Great Britain or Russia and hates Italy. It is generally understood now that he was the propelling power behind the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austria-Hungary last year. If the great European general war should come, he will be one of the central figures. He has been the reorganizer of the Austrian-Hungarian army, which is ranked second by competent military men, and has been also the keenest supporter of a strong naval policy by his country. Whatever may be Francis Ferdinand's faults as a statesman or politician, he is a good soldier.

One thing stands out prominently in the character of Francis Ferdinand. That is his devotion to the Roman Catholic church and its head. The long standing differences between the Italian government and the Vatican furnish sufficient reason for his hatred for Italy, but another is found in Francis Ferdinand's ambition to keep for the dual empire the territory it has already as well as to extend its borders. He will never consent to the "redemption" by Italy of the Adriatic provinces which were formerly Italian and are now Austrian.

No account of Francis Joseph's heir, however brief, is complete unless his consort, her highness Sophie, Duchess of Hohenberg, formerly Countess Clotilde, is mentioned. They are married morganatically, so that neither Sophie nor any of her children (the couple have two sons and one daughter) is entitled to rights to the throne of the empire, according to the statutes of the house of Hapsburg. Hungary recognizes no such thing as a morganatic marriage. In Hungary either a marriage is a marriage or it isn't. So Sophie has a right to the crown of Hungary, but not to that of the dual empire. But the pragmatic sanction which united Austria and Hungary away back in the days of Maria Theresa declared that the two crowns must be worn by the same person.

Francis Ferdinand is not popular in any part of the much mixed dual monarchy, save perhaps in Bohemia, which is pleased by the fact that his morganatic wife is a Bohemian and the descendant of one of its oldest families. The other nationalities, and they are very numerous, look upon him with justified as cold, haughty man, too proud of his descent, his rank and his position in these days of the spread of republican ideas.

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FRANCIS FERDINAND AND HIS WIFE.

# N. E. LEAGUE SEASON

Will Open on April 18 and End on Sept. 7

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—A schedule of 125 games in 127 playing days, beginning on Thursday, April 18, and ending Saturday, Sept. 7, was decreed for the next New England league baseball season at the meeting held last night at the New American house, Fall River, Haverhill, Worcester, Lowell and Lynn representatives were chosen as the schedule committee.

Pres. T. H. Murphy was in the chair and J. C. Morse was secretary. The club representation was as follows: Fall River, T. H. O'Brien; New Bedford, James F. Smith; Brockton, Edward Melane; Brookline, third baseman; Walter Warde, Lowell pitcher; Henry Bond, old Notre Dame A. C., shortstop; Herman C. Rice, Twin City League, Keene, N. H.; Sean Sullivan, Lynn club; Arthur McGovern, Lynn club.

Jack Shattley, catcher; Hugh A. McBreen, Jersey City club; John S. Dooley, Boston; Arthur D. Conner, Red Sox; Edward G. Butman of Somerville, an old Texas league man; Hugh O'Rourke, New England League manager; A. K. Hart, Brockton; Leonard Swornett, Worcester; Pres. Joseph P. Sullivan, Lawrence; John W. McCabe and Stephen Flanagan, Brockton; James O'Donnell, Lynn; Tommy Devine, Fall River.

## PITCHER BROWN

SAYS HE WILL NOT RETURN TO GAME

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—President Charles Murphy of the Cubs, it was announced last night, cut short his southern trip several days in order to reach Chicago in time to save Pitcher Mordt of Boston to his team. He is expected in Chicago today and it was said would immediately seek a conference with the pitcher. Murphy will probably want to talk to me," said Brown last night, "but I have no intention of returning to the game and I am cognizant of no argument that can make me change my stand on the subject."

## THE BROWNIES WON

Took Three Points from the Olympics

The Brownies won three points from the Olympics in a good game in the City league series last night. The game was fast from start to finish but the Brownies outlasted their rivals through with the exception of the second string which was captured by the Olympics. Leatum of the losing team was the star performer of the evening, each of his strings being over the century mark, his total being 324.

The Uptown team won three points from the Yard team in a game in the Machine Shop league. Silcox was high man being just two pins shy of the 300 mark.

The game between Lowell and Roxbury ended in an easy victory for the former team. The Uptown team won four points from the Producers in a game in the Moody Bridge League last night. Lemire was high man being just two pins shy of the 300 mark.

The scores:

### CITY LEAGUE

	1	2	3	Tot
Browns	164	89	114	367
Producers	167	161	85	333
Yard	168	58	114	330
Kelley	155	102	92	259
Totals	518	472	514	1504

### MACHINE SHOP LEAGUE

	1	2	3	Tot
McKinnon	51	55	238	344
Purdy	80	57	103	240
Elmer	54	66	88	208
Silcox	106	106	94	306
Langevin	81	92	93	266
Totals	425	415	483	1323

### YARD

	1	2	3	Tot
Marshall	50	50	113	223
Hartman	73	83	57	213
Murray	73	80	80	233
Totals	196	193	260	650

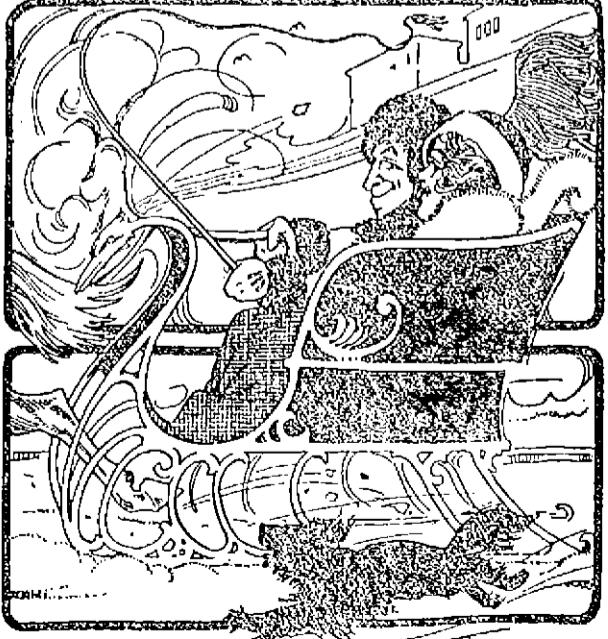
### A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup or Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold.

We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

F. H. Butler, Carleton & Hovey, A. Thomasson, Brunelle Pharmacy, E. C. Gould, A. F. Storey & Co., Falls & Burkhaw, A. W. Dow & Co., E. T. McEvoy, Carter & Sherburne, F. P. Moody, Albert E. Moore, Nathan Pelkin, Roche & Delisle.

### THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



#### SLEIGHING

Oh! pity those who never know  
The bliss of gliding o'er the snow  
With fun and love tucked in the seat  
And joybells ringing through the street.

Find Old King Winter.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Left side down, at man's right shoulder.



#### DOWNTWARD CAREER

"They say Bill Collo is very dished-pated."

"Yes, he's going to the men fast."

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'DOWNTWARD CAREER').*

#### MADE HIM MAD

Frat Sparrow—What's Willie Duck so mad about?

Second Sparrow—Oh! he was raised by Mrs. Pen, and all the ducks laugh at him because his quack sounds like a chuck.

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'MADE HIM MAD').*

#### IN THE DEEP

"But why is Mr. Lobster so red of late? Surely he hasn't been caught and boiled."

"Ob! it's the same thing. His wife keeps him in hot water."

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'IN THE DEEP').*

#### VERY PARTICULAR

"How do you like the boarders where you live?"

"They're too fussy. Mrs. Borden-Lodge has to cook over all the scraps for them before they'll eat 'em when I'd just as soon take 'em as they come from the table."

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'VERY PARTICULAR').*

#### NAME

First Microbe—What's the new germ looking so stuck up about?

Second Microbe—Why, he had his portrait published in one of the leading scientific monthlies 300 times life size.

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'NAME').*

#### SAD PREDICAMENT

I have come to ask your daughter's wing."

Alas! Mr. Drake, I'm afraid you will have to wait until some new ones grow in. The farmer clipped our wings this morning."

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'SAD PREDICAMENT').*

#### HELP WANTED

EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER wanted. Apply to Green Bros., 169 Merrimack st.

*(Illustration shows a duck swimming downwards, labeled 'HELP WANTED').*

#### ROYAL ARCANUM

Lowell Council 8

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## TRAIN TO AND FROM BOSTON

## OFFICIALS RESIGN

## Lynn Overseers Step Down and Out

Lynn, Jan. 12.—Unless ex-Mayor George C. Higgins, secretary of the Lynn overseers of the poor, now serving on a civil jury at the superior court in Salem, is excused from further jury duty, he will be compelled to resign his office. All the other members of the board resigned yesterday. They are ex-Mayor Charles T. Harwood, John F. Stevens, Capt. Harry Grover and Thomas A. French, Mayor Conroy's son. At the hearing for the reorganization of Messrs. Conroy and Harwood yesterday, it was agreed to reorganize the board for the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the several departments.

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# RIOT IN LAWRENCE

## CITY SOLICITOR

### Says Municipal Council May Create Offices and Elect Officials

TODAY'S meeting of the municipal council was scheduled for 2 o'clock this afternoon, but it was 2:35 when Mayor O'Donnell stepped to order. The storm did not dampen the ardor of the men who have attended every meeting of the new government and every son was taken to the door and in the gallery.

Before any business was touched, Ald. Barrett requested the presence of the

city solicitor and the messenger was sent to notify the solicitor. The nominations of Edward Cawley, William F. Cawley and Mrs. Crofts as weighers of coal were confirmed.

A communication inviting the city council to a meeting in Lawrence, having to do with the dredging of the Merrimack river, was read, received and placed on file.

A communication from J. Ryan re-

#### MANCHU PRINCES

Advise Throne to Retire to Jebo!

PEKING, Jan. 12.—The Manchu princes of the imperial clan met today and resolved to advise the throne to retire immediately to Jebo, about 120 miles to the northeast of Peking, where the members of the Imperial family have usually retired during the summer.

#### LITTLE PROGRESS

MADE IN SELECTION OF LEADER OF FRENCH CABINET

PARIS, Jan. 12.—Little progress had been made up to noon today in the selection of a premier in the new French cabinet. Leon Bourgeois, a former minister and who has held nearly every portfolio, refused the invitation of President Fallières to accept the premiership. President Fallières this morning asked Théophile Delcassé to form a cabinet. M. Delcassé informed the president that he would give a definite answer this evening.

#### BADLY DAMAGED

SCHOONER BRIGADIER WAS TOWED INTO ROCKLAND

ROCKLAND, Me., Jan. 12.—The three-masted schooner Brigadier, which dragged ashore at Winetka ledge near Long Cove on Friday, was towed here today, leaking four feet an hour. The schooner had her rudder unshipped and suffered damage to her bottom.

#### ZERO WEATHER

NINTH CONSECUTIVE DAY OF IT IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Chicago today is suffering from its ninth consecutive day of zero weather. Although there have been intervals of a few hours when the mercury climbed above this mark—on one occasion zero had been reached and passed, establishing a record for more than twenty years.

Throughout the night a fine snow fell driven by a bitter northwest wind,

Gilmore's, DeSoto Hall, tonight.

# ITALIAN STRIKERS

### Forced Operatives to Quit Work and Attacked Police

Striking Italian operatives of the Washington, Wood and Ayer mills in Lawrence started a demonstration today that resulted in a riot. The police reserves responded to a riot call and were attacked by the strikers. The mills were forced to shut down. One woman operative was stabbed and many policemen and overseers were badly cut. Trouble caused by reduction of pay because of reduction of working hours.

mill overseers had been injured in an effort to quit. At the Ayer mill attempt to keep the strikers out of the rooms and a girl had been stabbed. They were of little assistance, however, first, for they were vastly outnumbered. Thousands of strikers gathered about the mill gates and there was every indication that there would be more trouble during the day. A band of strikers went to the Wood mill force and swarmed through the various rooms urging all the operatives to quit work. The police reserves were summoned on a riot call after several to room in an effort to induce the ell-

The strikers were in an angry mood and shouted and jeered at the police, who were vastly outnumbered.

**Broke Down Mill Gate**  
Half an hour after the trouble started the strikers had driven the Italians from the Wood mills. The strikers by

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Tonight the company plans, if the

weather permits, to

insure yourself against a relapse

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FRIDAY EVENING

## THE LOWELL SUN

JANUARY 12, 1912

## TRAIN TO AND FROM BOSTON

## OFFICIALS RESIGN

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# RIOT IN LAWRENCE

## CITY SOLICITOR

Says Municipal Council May Create Offices and Elect Officials

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Before any business was touched, Ald. Barrett requested the presence of the

city solicitor and the messenger was sent to notify the solicitor. The nominations of Edward Crowley, William F. Crowley and Mary Croley as weighers of coal were confirmed.

A communication inviting the city council to a meeting in Lawrence, having to do with the dredging of the Merrimack river, was read, received and placed on file.

A communication from J. Ryan re-

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# A GENERAL ELECTION Is Being Held Throughout the German Empire Today

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—A general election will be held throughout the German Empire today, to choose members of the Reichstag. Rarely has an election excited more interest since the founding of modern Germany, and rarely has greater importance attached to the result.

The widespread dissatisfaction over the policy of the government in the Moroccan negotiations, a dissatisfaction which left it apparently without a single friend in the Reichstag, and the great increase in the cost of the necessities of life, which bears most heavily upon the wage-workers and all persons of small incomes, have created a situation in which the most acute political prophets find themselves at a loss to predict the probable result at the polls.

It seems to be conceded that the parties of the left—the Socialists and the Social-Democrats—will make gains, but their probable extent is uncertain.

The Reichstag just dissolved was elected in January, 1907, and sat for the five years term provided in the constitution. It was constituted, following the elections of 1907, as follows:

Right (Conservatives, Free Conservatives, Agrarian associations).....	113
Center (Catholics, Pales).....	123
Left (National Liberals, Radicals, etc.).....	151
Social Democrats (Socialists).....	121
Scattering (particularistic parties).....	6

The great growth of the Socialists at the expense of the rural districts has worked especially against the Socialists, whose chief strength in Germany, as elsewhere, is mainly in the great centers of population. Five of Berlin's six delegates to the late Reichstag were socialists, as were all three of Hamburg's delegates.

The original two parties of left and more years ago—the Socialists and democrats—have developed since the erection of the modern empire into less than forty parties. Of these thirteen had representatives in the late Reichstag and seven delegates in others were without any nominal party allegiance. Disregarding, however, all but the essential points of variance between these various parties, the great groups can be named as comprehending fairly the concrete views of all but the particularistic voters of the empire. These groups are the conservatives, center, national liberals, radicals (or progressives) and socialists.

**The Conservatives**

The conservatives are, above all, tariffists and indirect taxers; favorives of the great landed proprietors of all areas of production, no in North Germany, especially Prussia, the conserving of religious affairs, separa-

tional provinces of which form their strongest. They are strongly monarchial, opposed to every step that may lead to a more direct participation of the common people in governmental affairs and opposed to the central franchise, favoring instead a franchise based upon the organic groups of the people."

**The Strongest Party**

The Center or Catholic party is the strongest party numerically in the Reichstag and has been the strongest almost without exception since 1874. From this it comes that the Center has always held the decisive vote on all questions and the government has always had to reckon with it. Its moving principle is the protection of the interests of the Roman Catholic church and its equality before the law with the Evangelical state church. It supports a high tariff and since 1875 has been a government party, allied with the conservatives on all important questions and holding thus what is called the "black-blue block."

The National Liberals, since the formation of the black-blue block, may be said to constitute a middle party, midway between the extreme monarchists and the extreme democrats. Once the all-powerful party of Germany, which supporting Bismarck, played an important role in the formation of the modern empire, the National Liberals have fallen from a high estate.

The Radicals, who form themselves the "Progressive People's Party," are made up of three previous

existing radical factions—the Radical People's party, the Radical League and the German People's party, all of which had merged in the last Reichstag.

In March 1910, these three principal parties of the left were united. The Radicals are an outgrowth of the Progressive party, which was organized in 1878 by advocates of freedom. The present coalition advocates systematic abolition of the protective tariff, and equal rights for all citizens and all religions, with absolute religious freedom for the individual. The program also demands a "responsible colonial imperial ministry." Peaceful arbitration of all international disputes is a cardinal point in the party program.

**Socialists' Program**

The socialist program is that of the working class world over and is well known. Their ultimate political aim is a pure democracy, in which all citizens, including the women, shall have equal rights. They are unshakably opposed to armaments and war, and to tariffs and indirect taxes; favorives of the great landed proprietors of all areas of production, no in

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## DON'T USE DRUGS FOR CONSTIPATION

Just Try Nature's Cure  
We all know that constipation brings on countless other complaints if not taken in hand, appendicitis among them—also that any drug will lose its power after being taken for a time—but we should also know that if Nature can be assisted instead of being forced, so much the better for our health.

There is now a method of Internal Bathing which will keep the intestines clean and pure and free from waste as exacting Nature can demand—which, taken occasionally, will prevent constipation, biliousness with its depressing and the countless more serious diseases which are caused by the blood taking up the poisons from the intestines and carrying them through the system.

That method is the "J. B. L. Cascade" which is being enthusiastically used by many thousands, is prescribed by the most enlightened physicians everywhere, and is now being shown and explained by the Ritter-Jaynes Drug Store in Lowell.

Everyone should at least investigate this nature-cure without delay.

Ask for Booklet "Why Man of Today Is Only 50 Per Cent. Efficient."

tion of church and state, direct legislation by voters through the initiative and referendum, universal direct franchise, abolition of night work to women and children and the fullest self-government down to the smallest municipal divisions of the empire.

The socialists have no friends among the other parties and are hated by the emperor, who has termed them "the arch enemies of the empire." Their growth has been almost phenomenal. In 1871 they polled 112,615 voters; in 1887, 492,258; in 1890, 1,327,293; and in 1907, 3,275,809. This growth has come in face of most determined opposition from the government, which suffers no socialist to hold any important government position or to receive any political honor, decoration or title.

**HAWAIIAN ISLANDS**

Their Development Under American Rule

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The development of the Hawaiian Islands under American guidance is illustrated by figures presented in a document just received by the bureau of statistics, department of commerce and labor. The document, entitled "The Hawaiian Annual, 1912," is issued annually by Mr. Thomas G. Thrall of Honolulu, and presents statistics of the production, commerce, finance, population and education in those islands during a term of years down to 1911.

The figures of growth since the annexation of Hawaii to the United States and, indeed, since the reciprocity treaty of 1876 between the Islands and the United States, by which freedom of commercial interchange with this country was established and investments of American capital thus assured, are extremely interesting. A table shows, for example, the production of sugar, by far the most important product of the Hawaiian Islands from 1875 down to and including 1911. The production of sugar in 1875, the year immediately prior to the adoption of the reciprocity treaty, is given at 25 million pounds; by 1881, it had grown to 94 million pounds; in 1891, 275 million; in 1901, 634 millions; in 1910, 1,111 million; and in 1911, 1,017 million pounds, or 40 times as much as in 1875. The value, which was stated at 14 million dollars in 1875, was given at 36½ million in 1911, or 30 times as much in 1911 as in 1875. Thus the quantity of sugar produced in 1911 is 40 times as great as in the year immediately prior to the beginning of reciprocity, and the value 59 times as great, the relative difference in increase between quantity and value being due, of course, to a reduction in prices of sugar cane.

Of this increase of practically one billion pounds in the sugar production of the Hawaiian Islands since the adoption of the reciprocity agreement with the United States, more than one-half has developed since annexation, which occurred in the year 1898. The sugar production of 1897, the year immediately prior to that of annexation, was, according to the table in question, 320 million pounds as against 25 million in 1875, the year immediately preceding the reciprocity treaty; 101 million pounds in 1890 and 611 million in 1910. Thus the increase in sugar production in the Islands during the 22 years of reciprocity, 1876 to 1900, was 493 million pounds, and during the period since annexation, 1898 to 1910, was 522 million pounds.

**HAD TWO HUSBANDS**

THE SECOND ONE WAS GRANTED

A DECREE

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Judge White, in divorce court yesterday, sat through with a long list of uncontested cases. Among the decrees he entered last night was one of nullity in the case of George H. Wallace, of Boston, who testified that when he married Edna M. Farnham he supposed that her previous husband was dead. They were married in 1888, and after living together for about nine months Mr. Wallace came home one day from work and found his wife ready to leave the house with some of her things.

The only information Mr. Wallace could get from her was that she was going to Providence. He has not seen her since. Later Mr. Wallace learned that the first husband of his wife, Lewis Farnham, was still alive. Farnham appeared in court yesterday and said he had supposed his wife had got a divorce from him when she married Mr. Wallace.

The libel did not appear in court and was defaulted by order of Judge White.

**DOES YOUR SKIN BURN?**

IS IT INFLAMED OR IRRITATED?

A simple application of the new remedy Cadum will stop the burning and itching, and prevent infection from disease germs. Cadum is an antiseptic that is wonderfully soothing and healing to an inflamed, irritated, or broken skin, and can be used with confidence for skin and scalp troubles of adults and infants. A small cut, scratch, sore or wound is a nesting-place for disease germs. Cadum should be in every home for immediate use in all such emergencies, and for prompt application in skin troubles, sets in 1853 and the Kinston Machine shop was incorporated in 1849. The business has 1 in the manufacture of cotton mill machinery and although the "Big Shop" has been running on short time its sole of worsted machinery in the last three years totals more than \$2,000,000.

Directions on red and green wrapper.

# The Thermometer Takes a Drop But Prices Take a Bigger One

The man who needs Clothing now, needs it bad, and every dollar off the price makes it easier for him to get it. There never was a time when high grade Clothing—Clothing with a reputation—sold at the prices we are naming today.

"HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX" superb clothing, "FASHION CLOTHES," the unrivaled young men's line, and "KIRSCHBAUM'S" guaranteed clothes, Suits and Overcoats all go into this Mark Down Sale.

\$10 and \$12

\$7.75

Suits and Overcoats, plain colors and fancies, clean, well made, reliable goods and good values at the regular price, now

\$16.50 and \$18

\$12.50

Suits and Overcoats, nobly styled, men's and young men's models, the latest colors and fabrics and big sellers at the regular prices, now

\$20, \$22, \$25

\$15.00

Suits and Overcoats, our finest goods and nobliest styles from the best makers, many exclusive patterns and models, now

\$22.50

\$20.00

Just a few lines of our best grades that sold up to \$30, now priced

The balance of our Fur Lined Overcoats, all fine, high grade garments, specially priced at \$75, now only

\$25.00 Plush Lined Overcoats

\$20.00

\$15.00 Sheep Lined Auto Coats

\$12.50



(A Talbot Special Model)

## BOYS' CLOTHES

For Small Boys, 3-4-5 Years

50 Russian Suits and 50 Russian Overcoats that sold at \$5, \$6 and \$7. Your choice this week, suit or overcoat

\$2.75

(These are odd garments or small lots, a big variety of styles).

For Big Boys, up to 18 Years

Every Suit and Overcoat in our store marked down; you can save from \$1.50 to \$5.00 on Boys' Clothes now.

## Furnishings and Hats

Men's Mahras Shirts, were \$1.00, now	.69c
Men's Soft Shirts, were 50c, now	.35c
Men's Underwear, were 50c, now	.39c
Men's Hose, were 15c, now	.7c, or 4 for 25c
Squirrel Lined Gloves, were \$3 and \$6, now	\$4.00 and \$5.00
Men's Suspenders, were 25c, now	.17c
Men's Caps, fur inside bands, were \$1, now	.65c
Men's Cloth Hats, were \$2, now	\$1.45
Boys' Skating Caps, were 45c, now	.29c
Ladies' Aviation Hats, were \$1.45, now	.95c
Ladies' Aviation Hats, were 95c, now	.69c

COME TO US TODAY OR TOMORROW

# THE TALBOT CLOTHING COMP'

AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, CENTRAL STREET, CORNER OF WARREN.

## NEW STOCK ISSUED IN GOOD CONDITION

By the Lowell Machine Shop Owners

Principals in Tonight's Bout Ready for Battle

The new management and owners of the Lowell Machine Shop and Kinston Machine shop have issued new preferred stock. To the amount of \$125,000.

The stock was sold in Boston and was quickly disposed of. The increase in stock looks as if the new management, Messrs. William H. Evans and Robert F. Hinckley, intend to go right ahead and do business. The "Big Shop" has been running on short time for a long time. It has gradually reduced its operations and the output at the present time is very small as compared with what the "Big Shop" used to do.

It looks, however, as if conditions would take on their old form again. The success and prosperity of the "Big Shop" means the same for the Kinston Machine shop for the Kinston has been a part of the "Big Shop" since 1903.

For the last few weeks the working force of the shop has been gradually increasing and it is confidently stated by the new owners that in due season the 1000 or more workers originally employed at the shop will again be at work and greater activity than ever.

The Lowell Machine shop is anticipated to be put on prompt

Tonight at Higgins' hall, corner Hanover and Market streets, the members of the Lowell Social and Athletic club will witness one of the best programs of the season. Charley Haghey of Lowell and George Perry of Boston, who recently moved down a field of battles in the amateur tournament at New York, will appear in the main bout and each is confident of victory.

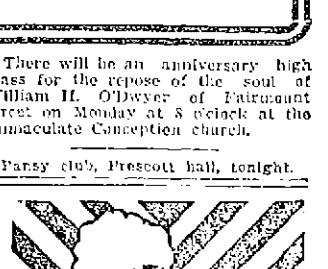
Haghey has been out of the game for some time, but those who have seen him training assert that he was never in better condition. They say that he is just as fast as he was a few years ago, when he was meeting the best men of the class and putting them to sleep.

Perry is in great condition. He has been boxing at frequent intervals for the past six months, and with youth in his favor, he not only has kept in fine fettle, but he has shown marked improvement with each bout.

Although weighing over 180, Perry is said to be as light as a kitten on his feet. The bout should prove very interesting.

The semi-final will introduce Charley Anastas, the prize of the Greek colony, and Jack O'Hare, a rugged youngster well known to local followers of Astoria. In the semi-final will appear Young Josephs and Young Coffey, clever boxers.

The first bout will be put on promptly at 8 o'clock.



## NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

"LIKE MOTHER USED TO MAKE"  
the good, old-fashioned dessert—just the same as twenty years ago and at the same old price—two-pie package, 10 cents.

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# DRIVEN FROM HOME

## FIRE FORCES 2,000 TENANTS TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—It was explained that as in the case of the burning of a part of Boston in the Braintree building the land was worth restoration early in the course of the fire. The brick structure, which drove the thousand tenants forced by firemen and crowded into temporary shelter in neighboring houses, the latter reckoned to have driven from their homes by the fire, was a victim of the zero weather conditions, but it is to be expected that the buildings will be repaired and the original structure restored.

The fire, which started at 2 o'clock in the morning, was extinguished at 2 o'clock. The building was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons.

### DEATHS

BILL WILSON—Died yesterday at the Lowell Hospital, aged 68 years, 1 month and 22 days. Mr. Wilson resided at 231 Collier street and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Harry A. Field of Plymouth, N. H. The body was sent to Plymouth, N. H., where funeral services had taken place and the burial made. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Hersey.

NICHOLAS—James Nicholas, aged 59 years, died this evening at the Lowell Hospital. The body was removed to the charge of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons.

LUTHER CHILD—Died in this city, Jan. 13th, Charles A. Lutherchild, aged 54 years, 10 months and 6 days, born from his late home, 4 High street, Saturday at 2 p.m. Friends gathered around him. The remains will be brought to Lowell, Saturday morning for interment.

HULME—The funeral of James Albert Hulme, son of Edmund and Eva Hulme, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, 2 Rogers street, and was attended by many relatives and friends. Services were sung in the Lithuanian church on Rogers Street by Rev. E. Ulmanavicius. The Lazarus were: Michael Pitkevicius, Renata Stanisius, Michael Sutkus and Stylius Lebedinski. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Joseph Albert in charge.

TAYLOR—The funeral of John Taylor took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from his home, 11 Shattuck street. Rev. E. V. Burdick officiated. The bearers were Mr. Spagnoli, Mr. Smith, Mr. Gaffney and Mr. Rice. The services were attended by relatives and friends. Dedications were present from William North Lodge of Masons, Strand Union Lodge, L. O. O. F. and other lodges of the Merrimack mills. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. C. M. Young in charge.

AGGANIN—The funeral of Christopher Agganin, son of Anastasios and Paulina Agganin, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of his parents, 366 Moody street. Services were held at the grave by Rev. C. H. Devaney, pastor of the Holy Trinity Greek church. Burial was in the Edison cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOWE—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Howe took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son, Frank W. Howe, 55 Fairmount street. The services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor of the First Congregational church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. Frederick A. Leydig and Mrs. George H. Spalding. The bearers were Messrs. Walter H. Howe, Edmund B. Conant, Edward M. Park and Dr. William A. Johnson. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements

for wreath of roses and boxwood, Mrs. and Mrs. J. McManus; wreath of roses and roses, Mr. and Mrs. John McManus; and several others. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons.

RODOLY-JONES—Stephen Roddy, son of Harry, child of Michael and Anna Roddy, died this morning at 3 o'clock. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons.

DAHABY—Ferry Dahaby, aged 61 years, died at his home on Mill street, East Belcher, N. H., yesterday morning after several weeks' illness of heart trouble during which he was a patient in a sanitarium. Up to the time of his illness he was employed as a weaver at the Cocheco mills. Mr. Dahaby was a native of Ware, Mass., his wife being Michael and Margaret Dahaby. From his boyhood he had followed the textile business and was a regular employee in the discharge of his duties. He went to East Belcher from Collinsville, where he had been employed in the Beaver Brook mills, over a year ago. He was an honorable citizen, faithful employee and a man that all his associates spoke well of. While in Collinsville, he was a member of St. Mary's parish. A wife and two daughters, also a brother and sister survive him. The remains will be brought to Lowell, Saturday morning for interment.

### LOCAL NEWS

Master Gaston Achlin, son of Mrs. William Achlin of this city, will return to Buffalo tonight to resume his studies at the Holy Angels college. He came to Lowell to attend the golden wedding anniversary of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guimond, and also to have an operation performed on his nose. The latter was performed at St. John's hospital by Dr. M. A. Tighe and was very successful.

The members of Carroll council, U. St. J. B. Co., held an important meeting in C. M. A. hall last night. President Joseph Carrier occupied the chair and considerable business was transacted. An application for membership was received and two members were initiated. Messrs. Joseph Carrier, Joseph P. Montaldu and Joseph E. Lambert were elected delegates to the quarterly meeting of District council, 3, which will be held at St. Louis' school, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Joseph O. Duchesneau, who for a number of years was curate at St. Louis' church, this city, and more recently of St. Pierre church, Montreal, has been transferred to the convent of the Grey Nuns of Montreal where he will act as chaplain.

Rev. L. C. Edard, curate at St. Louis' church, is on a week's trip to Canada. He will return tomorrow.

### DETECTIVE TO PLEAD GUILTY

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 12.—A morning paper this morning says that Bert H. Franklin, a detective arrested on a charge of bribery in the murder trial of James B. McNamara, has agreed to enter a plea of guilty. Franklin had a conference late yesterday with Deputy District Attorney W. Joseph Ford.

In the agreement it is stated that the state will be content to impose a fine of \$5000 on Franklin should he consent to tell the county grand jury all he knows about the alleged jury bribing.

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## INLAND WATERWAY

From New York to Florida

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 12.—It is now possible for a man, in pursuit of either health, pleasure, or business, to board a motor yacht in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, or Washington, and, leaving the ice and snow of northern latitudes, to travel through inland waters all the way, with the exception of 160 nautical miles, to the orange groves and flower-clad lands of the far south.

The eastern coast of the United States offers ideal conditions for boating, and especially for motor boating, that are unrivaled anywhere. A great chain of sounds, bays, harbors, and a network of rivers extends along the coast from Maine to Florida, offering inland passage for hundreds of miles. The importance of these through passages is becoming more generally appreciated, not only by yachtsmen but also by commercial interests, and government and private canals are being cut to extend them.

With the exception of the coast between Beaufort, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C., boats drawing not over 4 feet of water can go by inland waters from New York to the southern end of Florida, and larger vessels can use many parts of the route.

The federal government, which controls all navigable waters, is becoming more and more active in making these waters more useful to the public both for business and pleasure.

Congress took an important step in this direction in March, 1909, when provision was made for surveys and estimates to show the cost of constructing a continuous "intracoastal waterway" from Boston, Mass., to the Mexican boundary, having such different depths along any section or section, as might be found sufficient for commercial, naval, or military purposes.

Penny cake present will, tonight.

## TEXTILE SCHOOL

## CASH PRIZES OFFERED TO THE STUDENTS

As has been the custom at the Lowell Textile school for the past few years, a certain friend of the institution has again offered several cash prizes to be distributed under the following conditions:

First—\$10 to the student taking the regular chemistry and dyeing course in the Lowell textile school who shall be considered as having attained the highest scholarship in first year chemistry.

Second—\$5 to such a student who shall be considered as having attained the second highest scholarship in first year chemistry.

Third—\$5 to such a student who shall be considered as having attained the highest scholarship during his second year.

Fourth—\$5 to such a student who shall be considered as having attained the second highest scholarship during his second year.

Fifth—\$10 to the regular chemistry and dyeing student of either the second or third year class who shall write the best article upon one of the five subjects to be specified by the instructing staff of the chemistry and dyeing department.

Sixth—\$20 to the regular chemistry and dyeing student who shall present the best thesis preparatory to graduation.

The above mentioned sums are to be invested in books which may be selected after graduation. In case no one is considered as being worthy of any particular scholarship, into the same may be withheld, the decision in such a case to rest with the judges.

The members of the third year chemistry class inspected the Merrimack river water yesterday afternoon. The party was escorted by Professor Olney and Instructors Sleeper and Standish.

## POSTOFFICE ROBBED

## THIEVES SECURE \$25 AT EAST WINDSOR

PITTSFIELD, Jan. 12.—The post-office at East Windsor, eight miles from Pittsfield, was entered by thieves last night and \$25 taken. The post-office is in the store of Ballard G. Shaw, who is postmaster. Deputy Sheriff M. B. Pixley of Pittsfield was notified of the burglary and sent Deputy Sheriffs Maxwell of Pittsfield and Ford of Dalton to East Windsor.

## ORVILLE W. PEABODY

## HAS NOT QUALIFIED AS POUND KEEPER

Orville W. Peabody, who was elected poundkeeper by a unanimous vote of the municipal council, Wednesday, has not qualified for office and the mayor and other members of the council are wondering why Orville doesn't qualify.

He has addressed an open letter to the mayor and his fellow members on the board thanking them for the honor bestowed upon him and assuring them of increased efficiency in the work of his department. Mr. Peabody suggests that all horses having attained their usefulness be pensioned and retired to a farm either in this country or in Canada. He also suggests that a fine be imposed upon drivers who allow their horses to stand unblanketed in the streets in cold weather and that hobbles like hobble skirts should be frowned upon by humanitarians and all other sensible people.

## A TRUST FUND

## ESTABLISHED BY QUINCY A. SHAW FOR PARTNER

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The establishment of a trust fund of \$120,000 by the late Quincy A. Shaw for the benefit of Edward J. Hurlburt of Houghton, Michigan, who was a partner of Mr. Shaw 45 years ago in what proved to be a losing venture, was disclosed yesterday when the trustees came into the equity session of the supreme court and asked for certain instructions. Mr. Shaw and Mr. Hurlburt joined in a business deal in 1857 and within a few years it resulted in a loss. In the meantime Mr. Shaw was laying the basis of the fortune which he accumulated from the Michigan copper mines and in 1857 he set aside \$120,000 for the benefit of Mr. Hurlburt and his family.

Mrs. Hurlburt died in 1887 and Mr. Hurlburt last September, leaving children, grandchildren and an adopted daughter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Lowell never saw the time when such Honest Values were offered.

THE *Caesar Misch Store*  
ALEXANDER STRAUSS, INC.  
220 CENTRAL STREET

Cash Trade will do well to get in on these Bargains.

This Sale has now reached such proportions that we have added New Lots and Marked Down Others to keep the Same Big Wide Assortment

## Half Price or Less on Every Garment in Stock

A VERY CARNIVAL OF BARGAINS THAT MAY BE BOUGHT EITHER ON

## CASH OR CREDIT

MEN--Don't wait to be asked twice. Get in on these values while the selection is at its best

\$12.50 Suits at - - \$5.98

\$15.00 Suits at - - \$6.98

\$18.00 Suits at - - \$7.98

Boys' Suits - - - \$2.95

Boys' Overcoats - - \$2.95

Youths' Overcoats - - \$5.75

For Saturday Only=MEN'S \$18.50 OVERCOATS - - - \$7.49

GOLD WATCHES IN THIS SALE AT REDUCTIONS THAT AVERAGE FULLY ONE-HALF:

Men's Watch, \$8.98

Waltham movement. Gold case, guaranteed for 20 years.

Lady's Watch, \$10.98

Open face or hunting case. Guaranteed for 20 years. Waltham movement.

15 Jewel Waltham, \$13.98

Movements in guaranteed 20 year gold cases. Ladies' and men's, open faced or hunter's cases.

Sweaters..... 98c to \$3.49

Shoes ..... \$2.49

Umbrellas ..... 98c

Waists ..... 63c and \$1.23

Cotton Petticoats ..... 49c

Corsets ..... 98c

Ladies' Hats ..... \$1.98

Men's Hats ..... \$1.48

Boys' Black Suits ..... \$1.98

Rubber Raincoats ..... \$1.59

Boys' Coats ..... \$2.98

Youths' Suits ..... \$2.98

Wearables for Boys and Girls

As these lots are in many cases very small, we urge haste in buying.

Boys' Black Suits ..... \$1.98

Boys' Coats ..... \$2.98

Boys' Sweaters ..... 69c

Girls' Coats ..... \$2.98

Girls' Hats ..... 69c

\$5 RAINCOATS at  
\$1.59

The lowest price ever quoted for any kind of a coat. Handy garments for snowy or rainy weather. Tan and slate with plaid backs.

12.50 Caracul Coats  
\$5.98

Slight coats—Made up for our regular stock—Fine Venetian linings, 54 inches long. All sizes, 14 to 44.

\$6 Trimmed Hats  
\$1.98

Every hat included in this general clear-away sale.

Two Purchases of Such Unusual Value Enable Us to Put on Sale Today Women's Suits at \$7.98, \$9.98 and \$10.75

That at the season's beginning we should price \$15 to \$25. These are not old suits reduced, but fabrics bought at great concessions, made up by a manufacturer to keep his help together and models that feature many spring innovations.

\$18.50 Reversible Coats and All English two tone Coats --- up to \$25.00, to close out Saturday at \$7.98

A price that does not represent the first cost, but brings highly desirable, warm, good style coats to less than is often asked for cheap garments.

Our Stock of Furs is Larger Than It Ever Was Consequently Reductions Are Greater in This Department

Warm weather, as everyone knows, affected the fur business—and now that cold weather is here, we have made reductions that force sales.

Opossum Muffs or Scarfs, \$1.98 Black Fox Muffs, \$6.98

Both black and Isabella Opossum, large shapes of skins with full fur.

Brook Mink Muffs, \$2.98 Blue Wolf Scarfs, \$7.49

These muffs are made in a variety of styles, both plain and trimmed with beads and tails.

Blue Wolf Muffs, \$7.49 Just the fur for the young miss who wants something dressy. Price just cut in half.

Special bargain. Marked at this low figure to make up a beautiful set to sell for \$14.98.

\$4.95 SILK PETTICOATS  
\$1.98

Dresden Messalines, \$1.25 a yard silk. The surplus stock of a big petticoat maker. All shades, light and dark.

\$10 VOILE SKIRTS  
\$4.98

Reduced merely to conform to the values given in other departments. Altman's voile—Silk ornaments.

\$5 SILK WAISTS  
\$2.98

Black, navy and fancy dress waists. A good assortment of sizes and styles.

## THE BUNTING CLUB

Made Plans for Busy Winter Season

The board of directors of the United States Bunting Cricket Club and Athletic association held the regular weekly meeting in the club house, Monday, January 8th, when the general

grist of business was transacted. Re-house, Saturday, January 20th, when news of membership being in order members are invited, each member al-

a large number of them were sliced up, to avoid bringing one friend, tournament

and one new member admitted, to start promptly at four o'clock, Cont-

Thus are also laid for a busy winter

tournament. James B. Green-

wood, Albert L'Anson and Benjamin

Swallow.

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# ANNUAL SALE OF RUBBER GOODS

## At the Riker-Jaynes Drug Store

### Hot Water Bottles

**PRISCILLA**—An inexpensive but very serviceable bottle. Value 75c. During this sale..... **49c**

**RIKER'S MOLDED WATER BOTTLE**—This bottle is molded from one piece of best rubber, without a seam or cement, and guaranteed for 2 years. **2.00**

**CLOTH INSERTED WATER BOTTLE**—A white rubber bottle, reinforced with an insertion of cloth, guaranteed for two years. **No. 2 size..... 1.50 No. 3 size..... 1.75**

### Reductions in Bath Sprays

OUR SPECIAL BATH SPRAY consists of 4 feet of rubber tubing, with a nickel spray head. **29c**

**SPRAY NO. 4R**—Big value. A high grade spray, price materially reduced because demand for double connection sprays has declined. **\$2.00 value, during this sale..... 1.39**

**JAYNES' NO. 97 BATH SPRAY**—Very serviceable, extra long 4 feet tubing reinforced with cloth insertion. Very large aluminum spray head. **\$1.50 value, during this sale..... 89c**

**BEST RUBBER NIPPLES** in two styles. Made of the best quality of rubber, extra heavy material being used. Generally sold at 50c or 55c per dozen. During this sale per dozen..... **29c**

**Ulcer and Ear Syringe**

Made of best grade red rubber, very pliable.

**Small 17c Large 33c**

**BREAST PUMPS**

English style, very heavy bulb and thick crystal glass..... **19c**

**INFANT SYRINGES**

Excellent quality..... **19c**

**MEDICINE DROPPERS OR FOUNTAIN PEN FILLERS**..... **2 for 5c; 12c a dozen**

### Reductions in Pure Gum Urinals

**No. 1 Male, Day Use. Value 1.28**

**No. 11 Child's, for Day Use. Value 1.25**

**No. 2 Female, for Day Use. Value 1.51**

**No. 5 Male, Day or Night Use. Value 3.50**

**No. 6A Female, Day or Night Use. Value 3.52**

**No. 15 Child's, Day or Night Use. Value 2.95**

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**Reductions in Rubber Gloves**

**JAYNES' HANDY**—These gloves serve as an excellent protection for ladies doing housework. Gloves of this quality usually sold from 50c to 75c per pair. During this sale..... **33c**

**JAYNES' HOUSEHOLD GLOVES**

—None better made. Sale price..... **83c**

**PURE RUBBER CHIN BANDS**—These are light, non-uncomfortable, used for removing the double chin. Usually sold from 50c to 75c. During this sale..... **43c**

**PURE RUBBER FACE MASKS**—Recommended by Skin and Complexion Specialists to be worn at night for beautifying the complexion and eradicating wrinkles; also after the application of toilet creams. Value \$1.50. During this sale..... **1.17**

**ROUND RUBBER INVAD LID RING**—Made of good rubber, extra serviceable, will withstand great pressure. We have them in sizes from 7 inches to 18 inches in diameter. **1.28 to 2.72**

**BRADLEY MUFFLERS**

All colors and sizes; a serviceable, becoming and inexpensive article. **29c**

Always sold at 50c. Reduced to

This annual event always attracts a great deal of attention.

Our purpose in creating this sale is to emphasize the fact that our line is the most complete in the city, our goods reliable and prices reasonable.

We guarantee every piece of rubber goods we sell to be fresh, made of new rubber and perfect in workmanship.

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### Housekeepers'

#### RUBBER APRONS

Of great service to every woman. For kitchen and nursery use. Size 36 inches long. **\$1.00 value 69c**

#### J. B. L. CASCADES

We are local agents for this appliance, recommended for the cure of chronic constipation. Complete **\$10.00**

#### Tobacco Pouch

The handiest kind for smoking tobacco. Keeps the natural flavor and moisture in the tobacco. Self closing and elastic so that a pipe may be filled from the pouch without the necessity of removing the tobacco. A 25c **17c** value, for

#### BRADLEY MUFFLERS

All colors and sizes; a serviceable, becoming and inexpensive article. **29c**

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### ELASTIC HOSIERY

We always carry a full line of the most commonly required pieces, in a variety of sizes, for immediate fitting, but can have special pieces made to order for the limbs or any part of the body on very short notice, of the finest materials, at the most reasonable prices. Quality of material and perfect fit guaranteed. Private fitting room in every store. Trained nurses for women and children.

Anklets in linen..... 1.23  
Anklets in silk..... 1.23  
Knee Caps in silk..... 1.73  
Garter 3/4 Hose in linen..... 2.53  
Leggings in Linen..... 1.47  
Leggings in silk..... 1.72

### FOUNTAIN SYRINGES

**PRISCILLA FOUNTAIN SYRINGE**—A small syringe for ordinary household use, made of the best quality material, with regular flow tubing and 3/4-inch rubber pipes. Each outfit packed in wooden box. During this sale..... **39c**

**EDGEWOOD FOUNTAIN SYRINGE**—A complete fountain syringe with a full length of tubing and several pipes. No. 2 size, value..... **53c**

No. 4 size, value \$1.00. During this sale..... **67c**

**REPUTATION FOUNTAIN SYRINGE**—Made to stand long service of extra heavy stock, special rapid-flow tubing and 3 hard rubber pipes with extra large outlets. Guaranteed for one year. No. 2 size, during this sale..... **1.79**

No. 3 size, during this sale..... **\$1.89**

No. 4 size, during this sale..... **\$1.99**

**REPUTATION COMBINATION SYRINGE**—This is in every essential the same as the regular Reputation Fountain Syringe, but is fitted with special connection so that it may be converted into a Hot Water Bottle or a Fountain Syringe as desired. **2.50, during this sale..... 1.97**

No. 3 size, value \$2.75. **2.23** during this sale.....

No. 4 size, value \$4.00. **2.43** during this sale.....

### Ladies' Syringes

All the popular and well known makes, as well as a few special styles which we import ourselves.

Marvel, \$3.50 value..... **2.67**

Health..... **5.00**

Gloria (Imported German), \$2.50 value..... **2.50**

Jaynes' Whitpool, No. 112, \$2.50 value..... **1.87**

**YOUNG'S DILATORS**

A commonsense treatment for constipation, growing rapidly in favor. Made of specially treated and finished wood or hard rubber. Set of 4 Dilators..... **2.67**

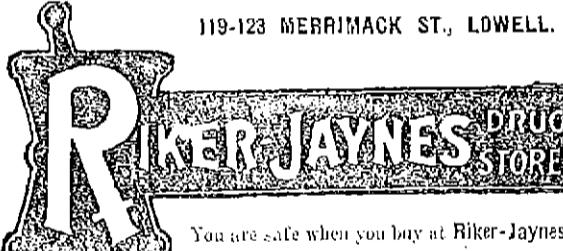
### PURE GUM CAPS

Used by many housekeepers as housecleaning or sweeping caps. Made of pure rubber, painted, in a variety of colors. This sale only..... **43c**

### NULIFE SHOULDER BRACES

Very few men, women or children exist who would not be benefited in health and physical appearance by wearing a NULIFE.

It puts vim in your daily life, makes you stand, sit or walk erect, shoulders back, head up, making full use of your lungs. Prevents many ailments and helps the ill. Formerly advertised at \$3.00..... **\$2.00**



You are safe when you buy at Riker-Jaynes

### HIS INJURIES FATAL

### Man Fell from Water Tower at the Round House

A fatal accident occurred last night when William McBride, an employee of the Boston & Maine, fell from the water tower at the round house in New Haven and died at St. John's hospital.

Just how the accident happened is not known as McBride was working alone at the top of the tower, some 12 feet from the ground, and the first knowledge of the accident was when he struck the ground. The unfortunate man was unconscious and was removed to St. John's hospital. There it was found that he was suffering from several broken ribs and internal injuries of a very serious nature.

Little hope was entertained for his recovery and Mr. McBride lost strength rapidly and passed away shortly before midnight. Deceased lived at 82 Willow street and died at St. John's hospital.

**HOTEL DESTROYED**

Fire in Austin, Ill., Caused \$50,000 Loss

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—When James were destroying the Oakdale Hotel in Austin yesterday a woman and a man appeared at a window on an upper floor and called to firemen for help. A moment later a blanket was thrown by the man. Several men grasped the sides of the blanket and braced themselves to catch the body that was to fall into the improvised life net.

Suddenly, out of the smoke that filled the room, the woman's head appeared, and she cried, "Hold tight, men."

Then she threw out her little white poodle dog. It landed safely.

"Now put up a ladder and we'll come down" came the order from above. So a ladder was raised and the couple descended safely.

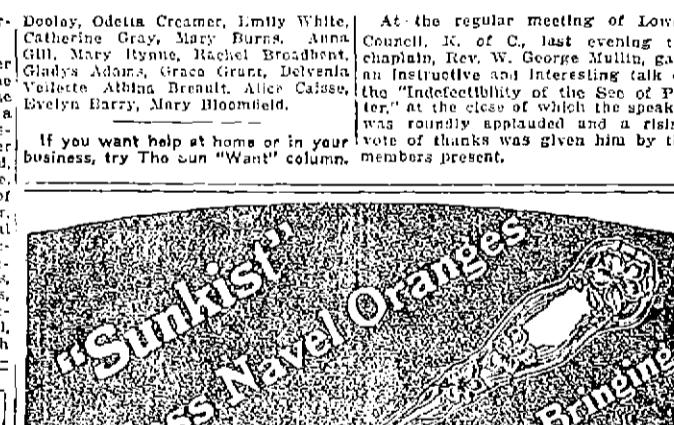
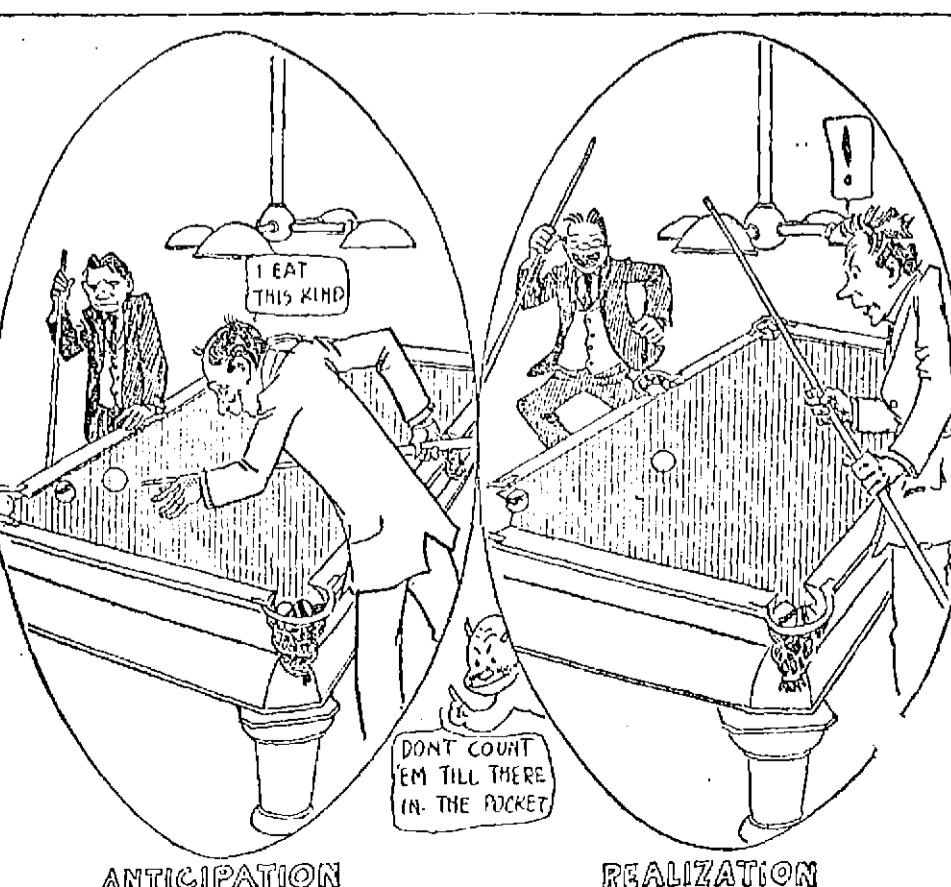
Besides the Oakdale hotel three other buildings were destroyed. The loss was \$50,000.

### A NEW SCHEME

TO CONDUCT WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS CONTEST

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—A proposal for a new world's championship scheme to replace the Davis cup com-

### LIFE'S DISAPPOINTMENTS



Juicy navel oranges with a charming tree-ripened flavor are now for sale at your dealer's. They are pleasingly economical and, in addition, the dining table can be furnished with beautiful silverware by saving the wrappers and sending them to us with a few stamps to partly pay charges, packing, etc.

The genuine come in tissue wrappers marked "Sunkist." Your dealer will supply you at extremely reasonable prices.

**Tree-Ripened—Picked With Gloves**  
Only the very finest oranges from the best California groves are packed under the name "Sunkist." Each orange is allowed to ripen on the tree, thus producing the wonderful "Sunkist" flavor. At maturity they are carefully picked and packed by gloved hands.

**Seedless and Solid**  
Every "Sunkist" is perfect. Each is solid meat—seedless and juicy. More delicious and healthful of fruits. Most wholesome fruit for children—better than sweets. Tones digestion and satisfies "sweet tooth."

**Begin Saving Valuable Wrappers Today**  
Be sure to say "Sunkist"—not merely "oranges." You will know "Sunkist" by their handsome appearance and by the printed wrappers.

**This Is Your Beautiful Orange Spoon**

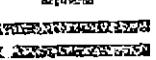
Save 12 "Sunkist" orange or lemon wrappers, or trademarks cut from wrappers, and send them to us, with 12c in stamps to help pay charges, packing, etc., and we will send you this genuine Rogers' silver orange spoon. For each additional spoon send 12 wrappers or trademarks and 12c in stamps. Not responsible for cash sent through the mails.

**14 "Sunkist" Premiums**  
Send for full description, number of pieces and cost of each necessary to make each article.

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# FEAST OF HOLY NAME

Union Service to be Held at St. Peter's Church

Next Sunday, the feast of the Holy Name, will be a notable one in this city. The Holy Name societies of the city will attend their respective churches in the morning where they will receive communion. After mass, Mass meetings will be held and an entertainment program given.

In the evening all the societies will meet and march to St. Peter's church where a grand union service is to be held. The feast will be held. The services will open at 7 o'clock. For the accommodation of the societies the church will not be open to the general public until all of the attending organizations have散去. The presider will be Rev. James J. Chittick, the elected captain of the Norfolk County branch of the Federation of Catholic Societies. A musical program especially prepared for the occasion will be given by both choirs augmented by male singers from the other churches.

The program for the services is in charge of Rev. John P. Burns spiritual director of St. Peter's Holy Name society. The spiritual directors of the societies in attendance will also assist in the services. They are: Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart; Rev. Lawrence Tighe, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception; Rev. Francis Mullin, of St. Michael's; Rev. Joseph Curran, of St. Patrick's; Rev. E. J. Cornell, O. M. I., of Andrew's; North Billerica; Rev. Michael Doherty, St. John's, North Chelmsford. The latter will also be in charge of the acolytes from St. Catherine's church, Graniteville.

The members of the Graniteville church will meet the members of St. John's, North Chelmsford, at the latter church. Here a short service will be held, after which both societies will board cars for Lowell.

**St. Peter's**

Next Sunday at the 8 o'clock mass the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church will receive communion in a body. The Holy Name choir will assist at the mass under the direction of James E. Donnelly.

It is expected that the society will eclipse all previous records in attendance. Following the communion a breakfast will be served in the dining hall, Gorham street, after which a delightful musical and literary program will be given. Mr. John J. Watson will preside at the exercises. The program will include the following: Piano solo; Miss Marcella Gurney; song; Miss Marlette Nolan; selections, Gilmore's Ladies' orchestra; piano, Miss Jeanette Gilmore; violin, Miss Ethel G. Sharro; drama, Miss Jessie Fine; concert, Miss Flora Hele; reading, Miss Ruth A. Kirby; song, Mr. William Goodin, the well known tenor; song, Mr. John Devlin; song, Miss Julia Shear; song, Miss Gertrude E. Keleher; Paragon quartet; song, Mr. Warren Rogers; song, Mr. James Sullivan; song, Mr. John Rogers; song, Lowell's premier vocalist, Chas. A. Carey. The speaker of the occasion will be Lawyer John W. McEvoy. The committee in charge is as follows: John J. Watson (chairman); Bernard Ward, secretary; Richard T. Lyons, day at a mutual mass, which will be celebrated at 7 o'clock at St. Louis church; James S. Starr, John King, church.

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**THE NEW OFFICERS**

Of the Lowell Real Estate Exchange

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Lowell Real Estate Exchange was held in the board of trade rooms, Central block, yesterday afternoon. The meeting was called to

order by President Arthur L. Gray, treasurer, Abel H. Campbell, secretary, Daniel E. Moran, general manager, Frank McLean, assistant general manager, Mary Doherty, floor director, Margaret H. Murray, assistant floor director, Eva Suprenant, Kathleen Jenkins, chief aid, Gertrude Holden; aids, Helen S. Woods, Irene Wilson, Margaret Riley, Jessie Campbell, Margaret Harley, Cora De Holien, Jennie Locke, Alice Le Quinn, Anna Golden, Ralph Hooper, Bert Rhodes, Joseph Frechette, Lyons Bourke, Majorique Cossette, Frank Sullivan; matrons, Mrs. E. J. Gilman, Mrs. W. E. Scott, Mrs. Ph. Duval, Mrs. M. J. Ryan, Mrs. W. A. Squire, Mrs. J. S. Hastings.

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The secretary was authorized to have certificates printed and to issue the same to members. These will have a schedule of the rates of commission to be charged printed upon them and will be placed in the office of each member.

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## ANDREW CARNEGIE

## TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

## Says Laws to Regulate Big Corporations Should Be Passed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—"I am familiar with the views of Ex-President Roosevelt on the trust question and am inclined to agree with him," said Andrew Carnegie before the steel trust investigating committee today. Representative Gardner of Massachusetts had contrasted those views with ideas expressed by President Taft in his recent message on the trust question.

Mr. Carnegie continued:

"I think for the present that you should allow large organizations to continue and to see how we get along and that you should pass laws regulating these organizations. Then you should be patient and see that further legislation may be necessary. I do not think the Sherman law is draconian on J. H. Head or Pittsburg, Mr. Carnegie's counsel and president of the steel corporation's Pittsburgh, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroads. Mr. Head was Secretary of State Knox's partner as counsel for the Carnegie company in 1896-1900, when the company is declared to have been a party to illegal pools.

## CITY SOLICITOR

Continued

hears a hearing Jan. 25th, at 7.30 p.m.

At a recent meeting of the council a motion was passed that the mayor, city solicitor and commissioner of Streets appear before the legislature and ask the legislature to authorize the city of Lowell to build, own, rent and maintain its own conduits in the public streets. The solicitor prepared a bill and the same was submitted to the council today and will go to the legislature this week.

## City Solicitor's Opinion

At the last meeting of the council the city solicitor was asked for an opinion as to whether the administrative heads of departments of the municipal council have the power to elect certain officers. It will be remembered that at the last meeting Commissioner Cummings appointed Robert J. Gillmore superintendent of cemeteries, but the appointment was referred pending the city solicitor's opinion which was received by the council today.

The opinion:

Office of City Solicitor,  
Lowell, Mass., Jan. 12, 1912.  
Stephen Flynn, Esq., City Clerk.

Bear Sir: In response to the request of the municipal council asking the opinion of the city solicitor upon the following question: Whether the administrative heads of departments of the municipal council have the power to elect the following officers: Inspector of buildings, superintendent of charities and superintendent of public charities and superintendent of public burial grounds?

I submit the following:

The legislature of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, in its enactment of the latest amendment to the charter of the city of Lowell gave to the municipal council which it created, as follows:

In section 25 of the new charter, so called, the power is given, except as is otherwise provided in that act without the approval of the mayor, all things which the city council, board of aldermen, common council, board of trustees, board of trustees of public charities, board of trustees of public charities and water board could do with such approval.

The only conclusion then that can be reached from the express language contained in the above declaration is that the municipal council of the city of Lowell may, if in its judgment it sees fit, elect an inspector of buildings, a superintendent of charities and a superintendent of public burial grounds. Such officers cannot be elected, however, until an ordinance is adopted, pursuant to section 25 of chapter 643 of the acts of 1911, and elected pursuant to said section 25.

A like conclusion obtains with regard to the office of superintendent of public works, for pursuant to section 26, the municipal council possesses all the power and trustees of public cemeteries, but under the old form of government, and since it was a power of the cemetery trustees to elect a superintendent of public cemeteries, the municipal council now has that power.

If the municipal council does not desire to create the offices above mentioned, it may acquire in the power given to administrative heads of departments, to which such officers belong, to control such offices pursuant to section 21 of chapter 643 of the acts of 1911, to which reference may be had.

Therefore, I shall conclude that the municipal council may appoint the officers mentioned by ordinance, and then elect the officers, and if the municipal council does not do in it wise to create such offices it shall permit the respective administrative heads of departments to control them pursuant to section 21 of chapter 643 of the acts of 1911.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Joseph Henratty,  
City Solicitor.

An ordinance creating the office of superintendent of charities, superintendent of public buildings, with salaries as follows: Cemeteries, \$1200; charities, \$1500; public buildings, \$1600 was read and passed to the members of the city council, board of aldermen, common council, board of trustees, board of trustees of public charities, board of trustees of public charities and water board could do with such approval.

Alderman Barrett moved that the salary of superintendent of charities be reduced to \$1600. This motion was not seconded and speaking on a question of privilege he said that a salary of \$1600 meant with house rent and everything that went with the job of superintendent of charities as good as \$200 a year.

Mayor O'Donnell

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to appoint such officers as are mentioned in your request. I refer the municipal council to the language contained in section 29 of chapter 643 of the acts of 1911, which to my mind is explicit and admits of no doubt with regard to the power of the municipal council to create said offices and name them in the manner and form provided herein.

Therefore the only deduction that can be drawn from section 29 is that since under the former charter, the inspector of buildings was an administrative head of a department and an executive officer elected by council vote of the former city council, such office may be created by ordinance as directed by section 25 of chapter 643 of the acts of 1911, and elected

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# NEW HOME DEDICATED

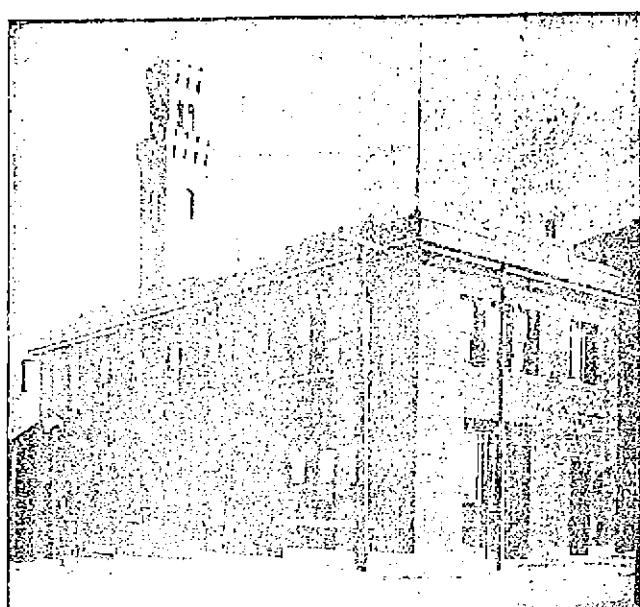


Photo by W.H. Rounds.

LOWE COMPANY, NO. 8 NEW HOUSE.

## Hose Co. No. 8 Has Finest Fire House in this Section

The new fire house at the corner of Merrimac and High streets, which is in a few words a marked improvement over the old, was opened this evening by the members of the Hose Company No. 8. Joseph Hennessey of the hose department, was in charge of the ceremony, formally dedicating the firemen on hand. The friends of the company with representatives from the town and government, including the mayor, were invited, and invited guests were present, and were used to see the appropriate parts after inspecting the building they entered through Market street and found it very spacious.

Twenty-five men were gathered in the next room, the boys ran in. It also spoke of their being in the same house, while the splendid apparatus of the modern fire department which protects life and property. According to the talk of a fireman, he is a true believer in the automobile and thinks it is the best device in the world.

Present at the opening were the delegates in the near future the mayor and three members of the fire fighting department council. Alderman Donnelly presided. Mr. Hennessey paid a compliment to the councilor.

Alderman Andrew E. Barrett was the next speaker. He was introduced as the organizer and leader of the fire department, and was a major in training the members of the department in the art of fire fighting. He spoke in part as follows: "Mr.

Townsmen, invited guests and friends, I am glad to be with you tonight. Not a word of exhortation, but as a token of every member of the company, every department of Lowell is well trained. There is always room for improvement, but the Lowell fire department improves as time passes and I think that the men of our department are as fine a lot of men as there

### WOMEN WITH PILES

BE CURED BY SIMPLY TAKING SWAN COATED TABLETS  
Excessive, tight clothing, and women's undress cause piles. Women never cure more than upon and all will be grateful to know of a successful remedy in tablet form, that brings a cure without cutting, use of salves or ointments. This guaranteed remedy is HEM-ROID, sold by Carter & Sherrard Co., Lowell, Mass., and all druggists. \$1 for treatment lasting 21 days. Dr. Richard C. Stetson, B. Infirmary, N. Y. Prop. Write for booklet.



DANIEL J. CROWLEY.

## ACIDS

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Boracic Acid.....	19c
Carbolic Acid.....	35c
Carbolic Acid Sol.....	10c
Muriatic Acid.....	10c
Oxalic Acid.....	15c
Sulphuric Acid.....	5c
Nitric Acid.....	12c
Hydrofluoric Acid.....	35c
Fartaric Acid.....	50c
Citric Acid.....	70c
Phosphoric Acid.....	50c
Pyrogallic Acid.....	21c

### Talbot's

40 MIDDLE ST.

are in the world." His longer than referred to the excellent work done by the committee in charge of the banquet, making special reference to his friend "Chuck" Conners and J. McLean Collins. In conclusion he said: "I hope the men of this company will live long enough to enjoy their new quarters, and I can assure that they will be faithful to all the obligations imposed on them in the future as they have in the past."

Alderman Lawrence Cummings was the next speaker. He was introduced as the committee of public propriety and decorum, but upon rising said:

"Although we had taken up no dignities, it would be a newspaperman in all cases of life like me, who speaks of the honor in which he takes his place and the firemen, stating that it is necessary for a man to return to take an annual interest." He said when he was in bed at night and he heard an alarm round he cannot go to sleep until the recall is sent in. He recalled the Harris mill fire and spoke of the excellent work of the firemen there and also spoke of the fire in the Collier's block in Middle street where his friend Deputy Chief Norton was injured. In conclusion he said he was proud of the fire department and of the new building and said that when the building went into full control he would try to take care of it.

Alderman Andrew E. Barrett, who has charge of the fire and water departments, was then introduced, and he said that he had been a member of Hose 8 for a number of years, but that he belonged to the second company which responded duly to fifth alarms. He said for that reason he was somewhat familiar with the house. He said he believed in the very best treatment for the firemen but that he felt that a number of changes were necessary. "We have an efficient fire department in the city of Lowell," said Alderman Barrett. "I have heard good remarks and good statements about the fire department but I believe that there is a chance for improvement. I will endeavor to keep up the high standard it has at the present time and try to have it reach a higher standard. There are some changes which in my opinion should be made. All that I ask is the co-operation of the members of the department in order to better conditions."

Alderman George H. Provo said that the fire department of Lowell ranked second to none. He said that the high efficiency of the fire department was due to the efforts of the chief who has brought the department up to the present high standard. In conclusion he said he believed in rewarding honest merit.

John F. Meegan said that he took a great deal of pride in the new fire house, principally because he was actively interested and signed the order which made the erection of the building possible. He said that the life of a fireman is a very trying one, spoke of the splendid work of the firemen, their activity and the risks which they took, where they endangered their lives. He said that the noblest biographies did not include the names nor the works of firemen.

"The fireman's first watchword is duty," said the speaker. "The course of duty is not always easy, however."

He then spoke of the modern equipment but said that the equipment was not keeping pace with the increased fire dangers from congested buildings. He felt that there should be more stringent legislation to prevent fires, especially with reference to the licensing of dealers for the storage of oils, gasoline and other combustibles.

Chief Edward S. Hosmer, of the fire department, was the next speaker. He was greeted with loud cheers as he was introduced. He thanked the members of the thriving city government for the excellent building and said he would do everything in his power to keep the building in its present excellent condition and also do everything in his power to maintain the high standard that the fire department enjoys at the present time.

He said that it is his intention to co-operate with the head of the department.

Capt. Daniel Crowley was greeted with loud cheers as he was introduced. He thanked the members of the thriving city government for the excellent building and said he would do everything in his power to keep the building in its present excellent condition and also do everything in his power to maintain the high standard that the fire department enjoys at the present time.

Among the other speakers heard were Inspector James Dow of the lands and buildings department, J. G. Mansour, William F. McCarthy, George E. Monagan, John Raymond, H. Gervais, P. J. Mahoney, W. H. McGivern, Owen M. Dowling, John J. Regan, W. E. Foye, J. P. Connor, Pierre Bourgeois, Louis H. Mercier, Martin Moran, J. F. O'Donnell, Thomas J. Earhart, James T. Dunphy, Patrick Krieg, George Gonzales, Daniel Dunn, Daniel H. Crowley, Bernard J. Dunn, William M. Barrett, William F. Tidmarsh, Frank Barnard, Peter D. Lepardakis, J. C. Mansour, Sam Goyenish, C. Tolson, P. Brown, J. Parikh, Arthur Comiskey, Henry Heinz, Daniel Garrison, Peter E. Brady, John Gaffey, Dennis A. Murphy, John J. Sanders, Fred Hawkins, Thomas F. Saunders, James Dunphy, Maurice O'Connor, George Reid, William J. Flynn, George Durkin, Jeremiah J. Hayes, Richard Monahan, Thomas E. Lennon, Thomas J. Conyers, William T. Luby, Daniel T. Leahy, William H. Ford, John A. Osgood, Martin J. Courtney, Richard Jewett, Peter H. Savage, John A. Osgood, Martin J. Courtney, Richard Jewett, P. H. Savage, Dr. E. A. O'Sullivan, Timothy P. O'Sullivan, Roger J. Lang, Adolph Lennertz, Mr. Debie, Frank Richard, G. M. Bourneau, Bert Grey, Daniel McCarthy, E. G. Laporte, Ins. F. Hurley, P. J. Bourke, Maurice A. Murphy, Edie Kane, Richard Sullivan, Joseph F. Conroy, Harry Carpenter, J. J. McCarthy, T. F. Welch, M. Douglass, Joseph O'Brien, T. F. Garvey, Stephen Garrity, John J. Sullivan, J. Hester Lalonde, Edward Boardman, John J. Malone, John F. Finn, F. N. Broderick, J. F. Sullivan, Henry Cahill, John C. King, Thomas Murphy, Dr. James F. Leary, H. G. Gharr, M. J. Sullivan, D. J. Crowley, Simon Flynn, F. J. Murphy, P. E. Lee, Henry J. Keay, Stanley Kurnell, William P. McCarthy, H. J. Powers, Mr. Sarre.

Lowell, Friday, Jan. 12, 1912.

# A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

THE GREATEST ARRAY OF UNDER-  
PRICES YET OFFERED WILL BE  
FOUND FOR TODAY'S SELLING

The Orange Cards Mark the Following Bargains in

# Wash Goods

## For 7c a Yard

Fine Madras Shirtings; regular price 17c.  
Domestic Percales; regular price 12 1-2c.  
Serpentine Crepes; regular price 19c.  
Plain Poplins; regular price 25c.  
Printed Flannelettes; regular price 15c.

## For 9c a Yard

Fine Cotton Repp; regular price 25c.  
Extra Fine Shirtings; regular price 25c.  
Scotch Zephyrs; regular price 25c.  
Plain White Lawns; regular price 20c.  
Printed Batistes; regular price 17c.

## For 12 1/2c a Yard

Superfine Flannels; regular price 17c.  
Swiss Chiffon; regular price 19c.  
Colored Wash Fabrics; regular price 29c.  
Anderson Zephyrs; regular price 25c.  
Fine Persian Lawn; regular price 25c.  
Yarn Mercerized Batiste; regular price 20c.  
Fancy Colored Poplins; regular price 37 1-2c.

## For 29c a Yard

Crepe Charmeuse; regular price 58c.  
Fancy Blacks; regular price 62c.  
Printed Voiles, etc.; regular prices 68c to 75c.  
White Novelties; regular prices 58c to 75c.  
Glenbourne Zephyrs; regular price 50c.

THE ABOVE PRICES DO NOT EXTEND OVER SUNDAY-BUY TOMORROW NIGHT

## For 19c a Yard

Fine White Waistings; regular price 29c.  
50 Pierces Soisette; regular price 29c.  
Mercerized Poplins; regular price 25c.  
Fine Marquisette; regular price 39c.  
Silk Batiste; regular price 25c.  
Silk Jacquards; regular prices 39c and 50c.  
Irish Dimities; regular price 25c.  
Bordered Silk Seaflings; regular price 29c.  
Plain Anderson Ginghams; regular price 29c.  
Anderson Shirtings; regular price 29c.  
Imported Persian Lawn; regular price 29c.  
Plain French Bansts; regular price 42c.

Palmer Street

Centre Aisle

# Sheets and Pillow Cases

The past three months' accumulation of the largest Sheet and Pillow Case manufacturers in this country arrived January 1 (seconds). Such brands as Wamsutta, New Bedford, Dwight Anchor, Frut of the Loom, Androscoggin, Langdon, Atlantic, Pepperell, Harvard Mills, etc.

### SHEETS

One Lot Bleached and Brown Sheets, sizes 72x90 and 81x90, three inch top and one at bottom. Regular price 55c. Clearance sale price ..... 38c  
One Lot, size 72x90. Fruit of the Loom and Dwight Anchor cotton; also brown sheets; all sizes, very heavy cotton, worth 68c to 75c. Clearance sale price ..... 48c  
One Lot, size 81x90. Dwight Anchor. Fruit of the Loom and other makes; some hemstitched sheets among them; sell regularly for 78c and 55c. Clearance sale price ..... 59c  
One Lot, same quality as above, sizes 90x104, 80x108; regular values 78c and \$1.05. Clearance sale price only ..... 69c

### PILLOW CASES

One Lot Three Hundred Dozen (300 dozen) Pillow Cases, bleached and brown, that sell for 12 1-2c and 15c. Clearance sale price only ..... 8c each  
One Lot, assorted sizes, such brands of cotton as New Bedford, Dwight Anchor, Fruit of the Loom, etc., worth from 19c to 29c, plain and hemstitched. Clearance sale price only ..... 12 1-2c each  
(All subject to slight imperfections)

### HOSPITAL SHEETS

Made of the best sheeting, Wamsutta cotton, size 63x99. This much cotton alone would cost, without being made, \$1.08. Special price, only ..... 69c

Palmer Street

Left Aisle

## Ladies' and Children's Hosiery and Underwear

25c Stockings selling at 12 1-2c, 15c, 17c, 21c pair	Union Suits, were \$1.75, ..... Only \$1.00
50c Stockings selling at ..... Only 25c pair	Boys' Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 50c quality, for ..... 25c
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Wool Vests and Pants, Only 85c	
75c Wool Vests and Pants, ..... Only 62 1-2c	Boys' Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 25c quality, for ..... 19c
Union Suits, were \$1.00, ..... Only 75c and 85c	

West Section

Left Aisle

# UMBRELLAS

Grades that have been selling at \$1.50, now marked 69c and 98c each | Men's \$3 and \$3.50 Umbrellas, Only \$1.50 each  
Colored Silks, regular price \$4.50, Only \$2.89

North Aisle

East Section

DON'T MISS THE GREAT	6 1/4c SALE
TODAY AND TOMORROW	
DOMESTICS, NOTIONS, HOSIERY, ETC. THE GREATEST VALUES EVER	
Basement	

Palmer Street



# THE LOWELL SUN

JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor

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THREE DOLLARS PER YEAR. TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER MONTH

The average daily circulation of The Lowell Sun  
for the year 1911 was

15,442

Signed to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reilly, business manager, and Alfred Pritchett, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1912. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

## THE PUBLICITY FEATURE OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Now that the commission form of charter is in full operation in our city it will soon be time for the municipal board to get up a booklet setting forth the benefits of Lowell, its advantages from a residential and industrial standpoint as well as from the various inducements offered by an improved and business-like administration of affairs under which the ultimate power rests in the hands of the people.

In our investigation of the charter question, before the people of Lowell had voted to accept the new charter, we communicated with most of the cities using the commission form of government. From many of these we received in reply to our communication very attractive pamphlets dealing with the respective cities sending them, giving artistic illustrations of the local buildings, the public streets, the boulevard, the seaports, the churches, schools and municipal buildings. These booklets are very interesting and very valuable as an advertising medium for any city. Even since we adopted the charter, The Sun has been receiving replies to the circular letter sent out in October. Only yesterday we received from San Diego an answer to that letter with a booklet so beautiful and attractive that it would almost induce anybody who has the means and dislikes the New England winter to secure a ticket forthwith for this picturesque western city. The authors of this booklet evidently understand the art of advertising, for they certainly make out a good showing for their city.

The San Diego officials have a business eye for the main chance, and are not going to let anything go with San Francisco in the exposition year of 1915. San Diego will have an exposition of its own during the entire year, and being the first California port of call for vessels going north through the Panama Canal, it will have a great opportunity to increase its commercial importance. An eastern tourist is already assured that he may visit one or both cities at the same cost in the exposition year.

One of the things that the citizens of San Diego would impress upon the world, apart from its being the point at which Pacific coast history began in 1542, is the fact that it will soon have one of the finest boulevard systems in the world at a cost of \$125,000,000. It has fifty miles of ocean front, forty miles of elevated drives of from 3000 to 4500 feet. Already the work of preparing for the exposition has been well begun. New York architects are employed. The Olmsted Brothers of Boston are engaged as landscape gardeners, and it is estimated that the whole exposition will cost over \$3,000,000.

The city of Lowell is not going to have an exposition, but it is the earnest hope of every good citizen that it will have a bright future, and these booklets that speak of the growth and industries of other cities are so effectively used that every progressive city should take advantage of them. The city of Lowell has much to boast of in regard to its ideal location, its park system, its two historic rivers meeting at the business centre, its system of canals in connection with the Merrimack river soon to be made navigable, its great textile factories, its public school, its industrial schools, its libraries, its medical and other institutions—all these and many other features that might be mentioned would afford good material for descriptive and illustrative in any municipal booklet that might be issued.

From this time forward the mayor of our city will be so frequently importuned for information in regard to the charter and its working that if a booklet such as suggested be not issued, at least a circular must be prepared in reply to these communications, stating in a general way the advantages of the charter and the satisfactory nature of this change in our city government. After a few years of experience the mayor of our city will be able to speak with greater authority upon the value of the new commission charter, but until then he will have to answer all inquiries from various cities in this and other states, and this he is obliged to do as a matter of courtesy. It is to be hoped also that he will answer such communications promptly, as in fact we know he will, inasmuch as our own experience has shown that while the majority of the mayors to whom The Sun appealed for information on the new charter responded promptly, there were still a considerable number who did not reply until the local charter contest was all over and settled intelligently by the voters of our city.

We are on the eve of a new era in our municipal history, and it is well that our city officials should realize the fact and make the most of it. We are to have better government; we must have a better city, and we must let the world know all about it. It is not enough that the newspapers tell the readers about it, the city government itself must give out something official and this perhaps should be done in conjunction with the board of trade in a manner that will reflect credit upon our city, its institutions, its industries and its citizens. We are still comparatively inexperienced in the actual use of the new charter, and what we say in regard to it cannot be of much importance, at best for the present; but, nevertheless, we should provide an illustrated booklet to advertise Lowell as one of the greatest textile centers in the world, a growing city of over 100,000 inhabitants, and yet a city having a widely diversified line of industries and plenty of room in which others can locate and attain prosperity.

Some cities such as Des Moines have a publicity bureau whose business it is to keep the city known in the best possible light all over the country. Lowell may not be prepared to go into the publicity business to that extent, but it is high time that something of the kind were done in order to put properly before the public and as widely as possible her varied attractions for the investment of capital in various lines of manufacturing and mercantile business.

## THE ELLIS MILK BILL

Speaking of milk, the state board of agriculture in its annual report is authority for the statement that the milk producers of the state were saved from gross injustice by Governor Foss when he vetoed the Ellis milk bill. The report shows that the bill did not strike at the real root of the evil, that it would impose an injustice upon Massachusetts' producers and place them at a disadvantage in competition with milk producers from the neighboring states of New Hampshire and Vermont. The report suggests a substitute that would attain the end in view without such injustice. The state board of agriculture does, however, spend and although Governor Foss was finally overruled in vetoing this bill, by so doing he saved the Massachusetts' milk producers from an injustice that would have increased

the price of milk to ten cents a quart without any appreciable improvement in the quality. The state board shows that in the main it is the men who handle the milk who make it clean or unclean.

## SEEN AND HEARD

During a talk over old times between former members of a chapter of the Knights of Columbus of the house step, the conversation turned to the Kentucky "Fiddler," with emphasis on the fact that he was a man of no mean ability. However, this latter form of entertainment is also of some importance, but we at present lack space in which to print it. The chaos that would reign if there wasn't the particular division upon a modern business office were all its typewriters to be out of order at the same time is too terrible to contemplate. In the first place, the operators would immediately disband upon a shopping excursion into the "five and ten," the bags containing correspondence overflowing his pockets, a wild mass with important rage, the older boy, knowing that without letters copy presses need not run, would smile inwardly, a smile of derision, the young gentlewoman clerks would complacently manage their garments and wait with wonderful patience for new typewriters to arrive, and the junior, angelic creature, would in the meantime profit by his mechanical services, aided with a monkey wrench for a consideration. These are but a few of the happenings which would disrupt the office routine. If you wish for others ask any young woman whose profession is that of filling the metal discs for fifteen per cent and Saturday afternoons off. Among press telegraphers a typewriter is known as a "hell." No doubt some fatuous knight of the key coined the synonym at the end of his seven to nine hours' tick in grinding out copy to supersede the omnivorous news appetite of the telegraph editor.

The world's greatest ear of corn was raised on the farm of Mr. Fred C. Palin of Newton, Ind., and it was that ear that won the W. K. Kellogg \$1000 national corn trophy at the Omaha exhibit. The dimensions of the ear were as follows: Length, 10½ inches; circumference, 7½ inches; number of rows, 29; length of kernels, ¾ of an inch; width of kernels, about ¾ of an inch. Arrangement: very uniform, kernels running in straight rows, the entire length of the ear without a misplaced grain, holding their length well to the ends of the ear, tip being well covered with dentate grates. Weight, 29 ounces. Estimated proportions—corn, 92 per cent; cob, 8 per cent.

## THE FURNACE

The furnace is a roaring beast. It isn't any sort. And underneath, to say the least, it eats up tons of coal.

It beats the horse on springlike days. With a fierce torrid blast!

But when you feel its charring blaze,

It's heating days seem past.

And there is not the slightest doubt

It has a growth on you;

For when you dress up and go out,

The fire goes out, too.

The furnace is a sulky beast.

It wants its willowy way.

And kindly it demands a feast

Of eat six times a day!

—Somerville Journal

If women are ever as active as men in politics, reports of political meetings will be longer, because it will take much space to describe the speakers' costumes.

This is in truth a great country, but not because we Americans keep saying so to every one we meet.

"What would you do if every time you put your hand in your pocket you found a ten-dollar gold piece?" asks a Kansas editor. "We'd keep putting it in and taking it out again."

The art critic who habitually says: "The art critic who habitually says: 'It ain't bad' must be surprised if people do not trust his judgment."

Not infrequently the man who couldn't define comparative pathology and who wouldn't know the birennial theorem from the barycentric calculus is better than a college professor for practical help when anything goes wrong around the house.

The Kansas judge who says that there is no such thing as a perfect wife doesn't deserve to have one.

If a man brings a girl chocolates and flowers regularly, and tells her all the time how beautiful she is, it is difficult for any one to persuade her that he isn't good and great.

What is the most important thing in a business office? Why, a typewriter, of course. Now as the word typewriter is sometimes used with an ambiguous meaning we hasten to remark that in this instance the word typewriter will designate an ordinary writing ma-

chine.

The next is to get this attitude to prepare a program for settling the affairs of China, accompanied by an offer of substantial loans to re-establish her credit and industries. Rarely even in these days of mighty marvels has a scheme more stupendous in magnitude or more stirring in promise of plutocratic philanthropy been presented to the ardent imaginations of men. Compared with this, the oil trust and the steel trust would be petty trades. When once such a combination of financiers had got China bound for the loans they so generously offer, they would have virtually

subject to their exploitation the whole wealth of her people. They could manipulate her colonies. They could develop her mines and fields and bring her millions of workers into such efficiency as would enable them to pay taxes in some undreamed of sum.

And should the Chinese revolt, then, in the sacred name of dollar diplomacy and of protection, they could call upon the nations to send forth their armies to defend the rights of vested property. A golden dream for Europe—a nightmare for China.

## AWAIT THE RESULT

Worcester Post: Indictments are not proof of guilt and it is only fair to await all the evidence before believing that former Mayor Josiah Quincy of Boston and Julian Hawthorne, son of the novelist and himself of no mean achievement in literature, have been guilty of intentional swindling in marketing mining stocks.

But it is at least a pity that the heirs of names in which old America has taken pride should have got into such a mess characteristic of this "money mad" age. How much finer was the heritage left by the long line of Quincys and by the creator of the Scarlet Letter than all the millions these descendants could ever hope to realize from their operations.

## THE WORLD ALMANAC

The World Almanac for 1912 has just been published and is now on the market. This valuable book fills a want every place, as it is a compilation universal in scope and not local, permanent and political solely. It seems to grow greater and better with years and experience.

It is a condensed encyclopedia of money values. It gives information and statistics upon almost every conceivable topic. It touches human interest at every point. It is a library you can hold in one hand so far as ready reference and accurate information are concerned. It is a supplement to every library, the next friend of every editor and informant in any office, study or school. It ranks with the great English publications of life and death for a full third of their price. Without doubt it is the foremost publication of the kind in this country. On sale wherever books are sold.

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## Our Bargain Basement

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Basement Price 50¢ Suit

## Men's Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers—Regular price 50¢.....Basement Price 25¢ Each

## Men's Half Hose—Colored and black, regular price 25¢.....Basement Price 12½¢ Pair

## Cotton Blankets—10-4 gray, made single.

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Basement Price 19¢ Box

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## Hand or Dish Towels—Linen crash, all hemmed, one yard long.....Basement Price 9¢ Each

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## Bleached Cotton—36 inches wide, 5¢ quality.

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## Cotton Puffs—Nice quality cover, filled with good cotton.....Basement Price \$1.49 Each

## Boys' Skating Caps—Wool, all colors.

Basement Price 19¢ Each

## Handkerchiefs—Children's, white or colored borders, 5¢ quality.

Basement Price 3¢ Each

## Women's Handkerchiefs—Plain or initial, 5¢ quality.

Basement Price 5¢ Each

## REV. AND MRS. FROST

## Were Tendered a Reception by Parishioners

## By Rev. Theodore L. Frost, the new pastor of the Worthen Street Baptist church and Mrs. Frost, were tendered a reception in the vestry of the church last night by the men and women of the church. The refreshment tables in the vestry were very neatly looking with the decorations of red and white. The reception room where the tea-taking party stood in line, was visited by the evergreen.

The reception lasted from 8 to 10, while a ladies' orchestra supplied excellent music.

In the receiving line with Rev. and

Mrs. Frost were Mr. and Mrs. Barton H. Wiggin, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Leedetter, Mr. E. S. Bickford and Mr. Arthur Day. The ushers were Messrs. Walter Carr, Clinton Carr, Carl Mason, Harry Steeves, William Wiggin, W. A. Brown, Cary Cobb and L. W. Goldthwaite.

The details of the affair were under the general direction of Mrs. G. A. Snow, who was assisted by Mrs. G. D. Farley, Mrs. Wm. Burke, and Mrs. George Myers, Mrs. Albert McQuesten and Mrs. George Brock. Mrs. George Hurle and Miss A. M. Huntington pointed.

Masters Thomas McCaffey and Elmer Swanson assisted the ladies, and the waitresses were Miss Gertrude Stiles, Miss Alice Tabor, Miss Vivian Wiggin, Miss Bertha Cobb, Miss Elizabeth Shuck, Miss Goldie Gardner, Miss Matheson, Miss Swanson, Miss Elizabeth Cobb and Miss Alberta McQuesten.

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## CRIMSON ATHLETIC CLUB

The first annual social and dance held by the Crimson A. C. on January 10th, was a great success. The attendance was exceptionally large. Gilmore's orchestra played. The affair was successfully managed by P. Campbell, general manager; E. Mulcahy, assistant general manager; Thomas Ingalls, floor director; B. Kirkland, assistant floor director; H. Kirkland, chief aid; R. Doherty, Geo. Tobin, Jas. Davis, T. O'Donnell, W. Crossland, W. Foster, John Cox, Clarence Neasey; Charles Grand, treasurer.

## DROPPED A LAMP

## Aged Woman Was Badly Burned

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—MARY G. WIHLS, aged 60, fell to the floor while carrying a lit candle in her home at 1532 Dorchester Avenue, Ashmont, last evening and was badly burned. The lamp exploded and the flames set fire to her clothing.

The woman lives in the house with her son, Naomi Dowerson, who is 33 years old and an invalid. Although she heard the cries for assistance, she was unable to move, owing to her condition.

Shortly before 8 o'clock the deadbolt and the sash picked up the lamp from the kitchen table and was walking along the front hallway when she said:

"The lamp went under her and almost burned my clothes." Then I lit Cuticle Soap and Cuticle Oil. Three times a day I bathe him with hot water as he could stand and Cuticle Soap. Then I would put on the Cuticle Oil and bandage with linen cloths. I did this about two months as his case was very severe. Now he is completely cured and you don't know how thankful I am." (Signed) Mrs. T. B. Salter, Nov. 27, 1911.

Not only are Cuticle

# OFFICERS WERE CHOSEN

JOHN J. McCARTHY,  
President.ALBERT LAVO.  
Vice-President.

## John J. McCarthy Was Elected President of the C. Y. M. L.

The semi-annual election and installation of officers of the Catholic Young Men's Lycum was held in the well appointed room of the organization hall on Saturday last evening. The attendance was one of the largest that ever assembled in the room.

According to the rules of the society, the recently elected board of directors met previous to the general meeting and elected the officials of the society for the ensuing six months. The board is made up of the following: John J. McCarthy, Albert Lavo, John

drew Smith, chairman of the Glee club; read an interesting report as did Chairman Patrick Harrington of the music committee. After other matters of interest were discussed the business session was closed. A smoke talk was live that number on the program. Among those participating in the entertainment were James Sughrue, John Neary, John Carroll, Andrew Smith, William McCarthy and Charles Flynn. Refreshments were served by Chairman Patrick Harrington and a corps of bustling assistants. The af-

CHARLES FLYNN,  
Recording Secretary.JOHN F. MURPHY,  
Financial Secretary.

fair was brought to a close about midnight.

### Sketch of Organization

Following is a brief history of the organization:

The Catholic Young Men's Lycum was founded by Rev. William O'Brien, P. R. of St. Patrick's church, March 3, 1901.

Aware of the great advantages to be derived from a society of young

F. Murphy, Charles Flynn, Bro. Osmond, John McDermott, Walter Kirwan, Henry Sullivan, Thomas Deigan, John Carroll, Timothy Rehan, Chas. Griffin, John Halloran, Andrew Smith and Charles Smith. The directors' session was held in the assembly hall and lasted about half an hour. Upon making their selections, the doors were thrown open to the other members and management of the new officials under. Those elected are: President, John J. McCarthy; vice-president, Albert Lavo; recording secretary, Charles Flynn, and financial secretary, John F. Murphy.

The installation exercises proved to be the feature of the evening. Martin Clark was in charge of the ceremony, and he was known as the worthy master. His assistants with their titles were: John Hennessy, worthy president; George Banfield, worthy vice-president; Edward Quinn, worthy recording secretary; and Charles O'Neill, worthy financial secretary.

The staff when called, marched from an ante room to the assembly hall. The worthy marshal read the names of the officers. The members of the staff occupied the chairs of the respective officers represented. In the front row of seats were the new officers. Each was escorted to his chair and installed. In fitting words the installing staff presented each officer with a plink symbolic of some great qualification.

The new officers upon assuming their duties thanked the board of directors for election and each promised to do his best for the benefit of the lyceum.

President McCarthy said that he greatly appreciated his return to office, and assured all that he would work untiringly for an increase in membership of the organization, and for its benefit generally. He asked for the co-operation of all, not only in spirit, but in action.

Brother Osmond delivered a short talk on what the organization meant in the bringing of young men of the parish together in healthful exercises and in social evenings. He also spoke of the relation which ought to exist toward those outside of the club and of the means which should be used to bring them into the club.

A business session followed and the members discussed the society's trip to Lawrence on next Thursday evening. They decided to turn out in large numbers. The Lawrence affair will be held under the auspices of the Lawrence Catholic Young Men's Association, and will take the form of a tournament and "halles' night". The program will include match games in pool, billiards, cards, bowling and darts.

The Lowell society will leave the Middlesex street station at 7:15 o'clock on a special train. The committee in charge of the affair reported great success.

The financial secretary's report was read and it showed the society to be in a sound financial condition. An-



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men organized and carried on under the auspices of the church and working in sympathy with the parish. Fr. O'Brien upon taking charge of the parish resolved to promote such a society. He called a meeting of the men of the parish and it was held in the school hall.

And much enthusiasm and unanimity of sentiment in a constitution was adopted, election of officers was held and the following gentlemen were chosen and installed as the first board of government of the lyceum: President, Edward J. Neff; vice-president, John F. McNamee; recording secretary, John J. Flaherty; financial secretary, John J. Sullivan; treasurer and spiritual director, Rev. John J. McHugh; trustee, Daniel S. O'Brien; James Phelan, James T. O'Hearn, John Sullivan and John P. Curley.

Under the wise guidance and persistent efforts of the above named officers the lyceum grew rapidly and showed results, that encouraged Fr. O'Brien to ask the parishioners to give to the young men the commodious and beautiful quarters which they now occupy.

Plans were soon made for the addition of two stories to the boys' school and for the purpose of securing funds the priests of the parish made a house to house collection in the parish, which proved successful. The addition was soon made and the members had the pleasure of seeing one of the finest club houses in New England.

The dedicatory exercises were held June 1901. A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presence of Cardinal O'Connell, then bishop of Boston. The latter delivered an eloquent address appropriate to the occasion.

In the quarters the members have every facility for physical, mental and spiritual improvement. There is a well equipped gymnasium, with billiards and shower baths, where hand ball, basketball and other games are played. There are also classes in physical culture, and during the winter sessions instruction is given, regularly by a competent instructor. There are pool and billiard tables, pianos and various other features of a well equipped club house.

The assembly hall is very spacious and well furnished. The society has also a library, where popular books, magazines and other interesting literature may always be found on the shelves. A debating club and dramatic society are included in the organization.

The lyceum insists that the members be practical, active Catholics, faithful in the performance of their duty and as a test of their sincerity they approach the Holy Table at least four times a year fully realizing that communion in a body is a powerful factor for the good of the society and to the individual, and furnishes a beautiful and impressive example to the congregation and the community.

The lyceum at the present time is most active and progressive. It embraces a large and representative membership and many new members are being enrolled.

An young man who has attained the age of 18 years and is a practical Catholic is eligible to membership. Applications for membership must be addressed to the board of directors, who are empowered to accept or reject after due consideration.

### The Directors

The lyceum is governed by a board of directors, consisting of 15 members.

The members of the lyceum elect in June and December eight members to serve for six months. The rector of the church in the same months appoints seven members to the directors to serve for six months. The rector also appoints a priest of the parish to act as his representative and the latter acts as spiritual director and treasurer of the organization.

The board of directors shall choose from among their members at the first regular meeting held in January and July, a president, vice-president, recording and financial secretaries.

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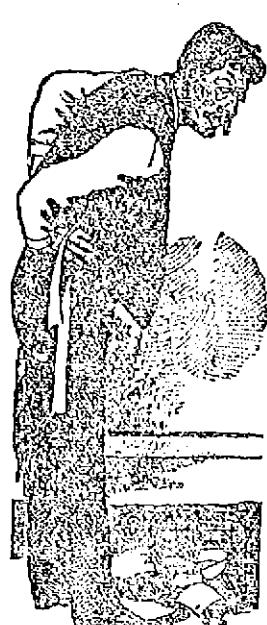
#### Prevalence of Kidney Disease.

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# IN STOVE PIPE CIRCLE

## More Interesting Mid-Winter Base- ball Dope for Sports

Dopes of baseball conditions at the start of the year based on the National game and the fans will discuss and read baseball dope. The appended article taking in the two big leagues and our own New England circuits may give you pointers of the news side of it in a little more detail.

### American League

It was said by a member of the league that the club would be a bold one in the coming season. And from what it was he for 1911. Why not make it \$100,000? President Naval, it would read better. Naval says he has no fear but he and Cobb will come to an agreement as invariably have all the original Peaches' signature as a proof of honest payment. He says in the last of his words:

American League members will gather in Chicago Feb. 13 for their annual schedule meeting and general talk. The changes which President Johnson is considering in dates are said to be Sunday dates. He said that he will make only such changes as will not conflict with the National League arrangement.

Johnson named a rules committee to represent the American League in the event of a joint session being called to draft new rules. The body will be composed of Ulysses Tolson, Captain, Manager, Indianapolis; Charles E. St. Louis and J. P. Bruce and W. H. McPherson of Cincinnati.

Robert Lee Hodges, principal stockholder of the St. Louis American League club, the other night re-elected himself president at the club's annual meeting. J. F. Burke of Cincinnati was elected vice-president. The board of directors will consist of R. L. Hodges, W. H. McPherson and J. C. Davis of St. Louis and J. P. Bruce and W. H. McPherson of Cincinnati.

At the meetings which have been held to date places of the Boston American League baseball clubs are the same as under which they have worked this year. President Jas. R. McAdoo said he fears of there being any change. And from what he says the new system of leagues has been adopted and placed. McAdoo expects the other clubs will play their part of it in the opinion, they are anxious of where others will be, and that if the money is saved for the team is a winning ball right, as it is now, and then the awarding of the money will be an easy matter to settle.

The day is at hand the White Sox will eventually secure the services of George Stovall, and his acquisition would make a tremendous difference in the team. Stovall is through at Cleveland. Not that he could not get the bill at first base perhaps better than any man that Davis may have for the position but having been a member of the team it would be a hardship on Davis to have him retained for it might be unwise should the team get a poor start and Stovall, who had been referred to as ready, be in the duds. So does he stand most poor with Stovall, but the new club is mighty slow about getting the Sox are within the range, perhaps, with a good price for his release.

### National League

The Manager Clark Griffith, as chairman of the National League, has the American end in view. He has waged such a strong fight for the younger league clubs to have dressing rooms for visiting teams on the grounds that he has got Dan Johnson with him.

Members of the world's champions today are sporting on their wands, and the emblems awarded to them by the national commission for winning the recent world series from the New York Giants. The trophy is of gold and shows an elephant on a field of blue. In the center of the top is a diamond that weighs about a carat.

President Naval of the Detroit Baseball club announces that the signed contracts of Catcher Slanney and Pitcher Works have been ratified.

It is said that waivers have been asked on Arthur Devlin, the third baseman of the New York Nationals, but "Mugsy" McGrath is not the one who has asked for them, it being Mrs. Devlin who wishes to release him. It is reported that the clever infielder will have trouble in running the gamut.

Sam Mertes, an old time National League ball player, has been selected as one of the umpires in the Pacific League for the season of 1912. Mertes became famous as left fielder of the New York Nationals in 1903-05.

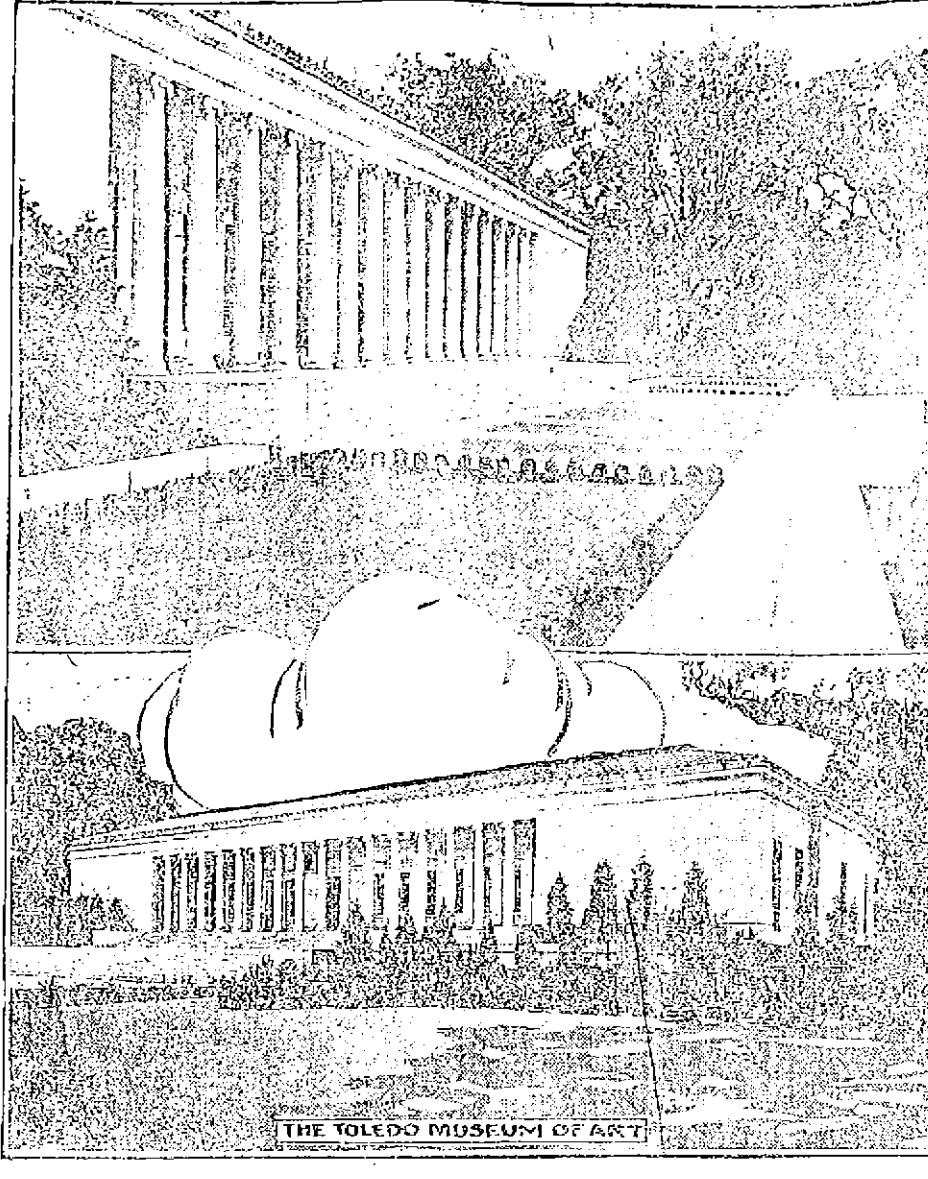
"Dixie" Puskett, the star center fielder of the Phillies, is just at present a bold one, demanding \$50 more than he received last season. President Puskett won't give it the rats in today, but expresses the complaint that Puskett will turn up in the spring ready to play the position.

Chief Justice White of Supreme Court is ill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Chief Justice White of the supreme court has been confined for several days to



**JUSTICE WHITE**



**THE TOLEDO MUSEUM OF ART**

TOLEDO'S NEW MUSEUM OF ART, WHICH COST \$500,000, WILL BE DEDICATED JAN. 17

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 12. Many artists and museum officials from all over the country will be here January 17th, to attend the opening and inaugural exhibition of the Museum of Art. The new building, designed by Green and Woods of Buffalo and Harry W. Walker of this city, is of white marble with a frontage of 200 feet, the style being Greek Ionic of the peristyle period. It stands in a spacious grove of trees, in the heart of the city. The building and grounds represent an expenditure of \$500,000, one half of which is the gift of the president of the museum, Edward Drummond Libbey, the other half having been raised by popular subscription in sums ranging from 10 cents to \$10,000. More than 20,000 citizens subscribed to the fund. The building opens free from debt and will be supported by 1200 contributing members. George W. Stevens, the director, has systematically carried the work of the museum into the homes, the factories, the church and the public schools. An exhibition of the work of modern American sculptors has been arranged and installed by the National Sculpture Society.

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